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LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Don't
Fail to
Read every
Line in this paper;
The ad news is the best news.
FOR SALE — Baled hay. Ring
phone 127.

JACOBS CANDY FOR EASTER
AT FLY DRUG CO.
TRY THE BOB CAT GRILL FOR
A SQUARE MEAL.

EASTER DRESSES, HATS AND
BAGS AT HOLLIG'S DRESS
SHOP.

Pictures framed and mirrors re-
glazed. SPEECE WOODCRAFT
SHOP.

GET SOME OF THAT GOOD PIT
BARBECUE AT THE BOB CAT
GRILL.

District Attorney R. J. Noonan is
in Kerrville this week attending dis-
trict court.

FOR SALE—Second-hand Gar-
age, gas range, 4-burner. Apply to
tf. Walker.

Amazing Teaspoon offer with LUX
KES. Ask us for order blank.
FLY DRUG CO.

Marshall Koch of San Antonio vis-
ited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Toby
Koch, last week-end.

For drug store needs go to WIN-
DROW DRUG STORE, serving Me-
dina County since 1898.

Just received—the largest assort-
ment Fishing Tackle ever seen in
Hondo at C. R. GAINES'.

For Hemstitching see Mrs. R. W.
Speece, at residence opposite north-
west corner of courthouse.

Miss Mildred Wolff and a friend
from San Antonio visited relatives
and friends here last week-end.

Miss Earline Watson spent the
week-end in San Antonio as the
guest of Miss Elizabeth Chambers.

Mrs. B. R. Eichenrodt of San An-
tonio is the guest of her parents, Mr.
and Mrs. L. J. Brucks, this week.

Cooper's Cattle Dip, testing fluid
and tablets. Blackleg vaccine. —
Large supply at Windrow Drug Store.

NOT THE BIGGEST BUN, BUT
THE BEST HAMBURGER IN
TOWN. PLAZA BAR AND CAFE.

Sergeant and Mrs. Wm. Pocher
and Mrs. Mary Brown of San An-
tonio visited Mrs. Una English here
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Duncan were
called to Conroy Sunday on account
of the serious illness of Mrs. Dun-
can's father.

BUY YOUR TIRES AT WEST-
ERN AUTO STORE THIS WEEK
AND GET FREE TUBES. H. W.
KOLLMAN.

Jim Hall came in home Sunday on
a brief visit from out west where he
is working with a bridge crew on the
S. P. Railway.

Remember your friends and relatives
with a greeting card. There
is a greeting card for every occasion,
at FLY DRUG CO.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Fly and
children of Crystal City were guests
of Mr. Fly's parents Mr. and Mrs. J.
S. Fly, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Turner and Mrs.
Katie Filleman of San Antonio spent
Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. S. E.
Eber and other relatives here.

FOR A COOL SHAVE AND UP-
TO-DATE HAIR CUT GO TO
BARNES AND COFFEY AT
BARNES BARBER SHOP.

C. R. Gaines' hardware, farm
tools, Dayton tires, quality cutlery,
carpenter tools undersold by none.
Garden hose, braided 7 1/2 per foot. 2t

The New Fountain Women's Mis-
sionary Society will have a Cake
Sale at Boon's Store on April 16th.
Come and buy your cake for
Easter.

White girl wanted for general
housework and care of one child.
Board, room and small salary. MRS.
E. S. HOLMES, 1814 McKinley, San
Antonio.

Who has \$1200 they want to in-
vest in Hondo property that will pay
him 8% on his investment? If in-
terested, Phone 42 or write care Box
247, Hondo, Texas.

Benny Oefinger arrived home
Wednesday from Kingsville, where
he attends A. & I. College, to spend
the Easter vacation with his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Oefinger.

IS YOUR INSURANCE MAN
ONE WHO LIVES AMONG YOU,
OR ONE JUST PASSING THRU?
For Every Form of Insurance
See O. H. MILLER, Hondo, Texas.
Since 1907.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Rieber and
grandson, Lloyd, and Mesdames
Hugo and Oscar Batot were in San
Antonio Wednesday. Lloyd remain-
ed there to spend the Easter holidays
with relatives.

Mrs. Walter Saathoff underwent
an appendectomy at the Medina
Hospital on April 10th and is now
well on the road to recovery. Her
friends are glad that she withstood
the ordeal so successfully.

Clinton Jagge and his classmate,
John Harrod of Eden, students of
St. Mary's University, were here
from San Antonio Sunday visiting
the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs.
P. C. Jagge, and grandparents, Mr.
and Mrs. H. V. Haass, Sr.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT IN REGULAR SESSION.

The Commissioners' Court of Me-
dina County met in a two day session
this week, convening at 2 P. M.
Monday, April 12, and after trans-
acting business Monday afternoon
and again on Tuesday, beginning at
9 A. M., recessed subject to the
call of County Judge Rothe. There
was a full program of business under
survey at this regular session of the
Court.

Two quarterly reports were pre-
sented, examined and approved by
the Court. The first was the quar-
terly report of the Home Demonstra-
tion agent. The County Case Work-
er presented the second, a report for
the month of March 1938.

The returns of the election of the
Common School District Trustees
and the County Trustees for Com-
missioners' Precincts Nos. 1 and 3
were canvassed by the Court. The
results will be found elsewhere in
this paper.

The Court ordered road to be ac-
cepted and opened in Commissioner's
Precinct No. 3, to be located as per
request in a petition presented to
the Court by R. J. Zerr and twenty
others, dated March 14, 1938. The
new public road as set out in the
petition is to begin at the point of
intersection of the north boundary
line of the Eugenia Wolff 113-acre
tract of land with the east bound-
ary line of the Old D'Hanis-Seco Valley
public road, thence along property
boundary lines, until it intersects
with a public road leading to the
county seat known as the "Odom
Lane". Motion made by Commis-
sioner Bader was seconded by Com-
missioner Hardcastle, and all com-
missioners voted in favor of the op-
ening and establishing of the pro-
posed road.

The Court ordered the transfer of
\$1000.00 from the general fund to
the court house and jail fund.

A petition by Frank Scharsch,
Will Naegelin and thirteen other
citizens of Castroville for the closing
of a street in that town was present-
ed to the Court. The street petition-
ed to be closed is Emelia street, one
block in length, being bounded on
the Southeast by London street and
on the Northwest by Paris street and
lies between blocks 6 and 7, Range
6. Motion was made by Commis-
sioner Koch, seconded by Commis-
sioner Bader and carried unanimo-
usly to accept the petition. And it
was ordered to post notices for a public
hearing, as required by law, at the
next regular term of court, May 9th,
1938.

A motion was made by Commis-
sioner Bader and seconded by Com-
missioner Hardcastle that the bal-
ance due on the tractor and terracing
machine shall be paid for equally
out of the auto license tax credited
to the road and bridge funds of the
four respective commissioners' pre-
cincts. That is, each commissioner's
road and bridge fund shall bear one-
fourth of the said amount due on
the machinery. The cost of all other
expenses incident to the operation of
the said farm terracing machinery
shall be borne on a percentage basis
of the respective amounts allotted to
each commissioner out of the auto li-
cense tax as ordered previously by
the court in relation to division of
said funds. The motion carried as
follows: Commissioners Bader, Hard-
castle and Bippert voting aye, and
Commissioner Koch voting nay.

Upon vote, a motion made to allow
Henry Crutchfield, if legally permis-
sible, the sum of \$25.00 per month as
salary of deputy sheriff of Medina
County, unanimously carried. The
salary is to commence as of April 1,
1938, and continue monthly until
further orders of the Court. This
motion was made by Bader and sec-
onded by Hardcastle.

Routine business matters com-
pleted the transactions for the week.

A DESTRUCTIVE FREEZE.

The cold wave, mention of which
was made in last week's paper as ar-
riving Wednesday night, continued
with considerable severity until Mon-
day morning. Ice was reported to
have formed in low and exposed
places on Thursday, Friday, Satur-
day and Sunday nights. For much
of the time the low temperature was
accompanied by a rough, dry cold
wind that did considerable damage to
young vegetation. It looked as if
crops were ruined, and the cotton,
some cane, Sudan grass and young
corn were killed. The older corn,
however, while considerably dam-
aged, is recovering rapidly since the
return of warm weather.

While the pretty prospects that
had prevailed were destroyed and the
crops given a serious set-back, tim-
ely rains may cause them to recoup
most of the loss.

LACOSTE 9, D'HANIS 5.

Home runs by Bader, Jungman
and Keller, aided by three fast
double plays, gave the LaCoste
Boosters a 9 to 5 victory over the
D'Hanis team at LaCoste Sunday.
Branch Keller for the Boosters
struck out six and kept the 10 hits
garnered by D'Hanis well scattered
while Nester yielded 15 hits that net-
ted nine scores.

New Oil Field Discovered Near Hondo

EWING OIL COMPANY'S NO.
1 RIFF NOW UNDER PUMP
AND PRODUCING AROUND
FORTY BARRELS PER DAY.

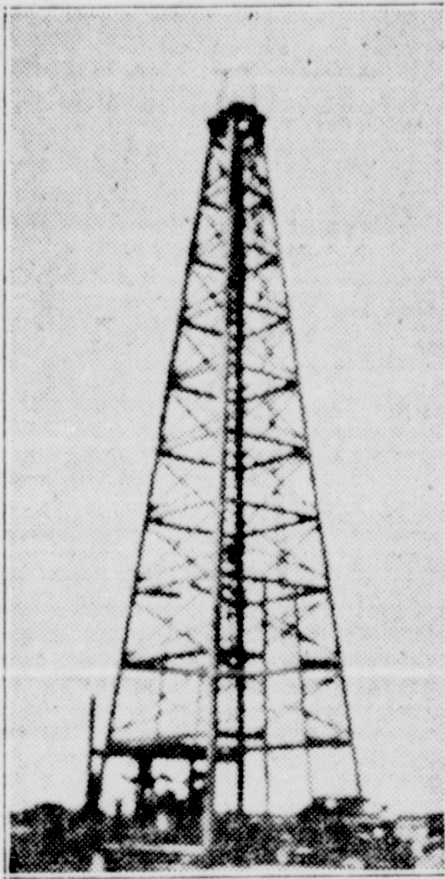
Hondo's third shallow oil field was
proven Thursday night of last week
when Ewing Oil Company's No. 1
Riff, on the Emil Riff ranch six
miles southeast of Hondo and two
miles southwest of Dunlay, came in
as a producer. The well was drilled
with a rotary drill. At 542 feet it
topped the serpentine formation. The
drill penetrated this formation
174 feet, to a final depth of 716
feet. Encountering rock at this
depth the drill was stopped and the
well put on test.

Considerable gas pressure accom-
panied the oil and the swab brought
up some five or six barrels an hour.
On Tuesday a small pump was placed
on the well and several hundred bar-
rels of oil are already stored in two
tanks. Tony Taylor, an experienced
oil pump, is in charge of the pump
which is only a temporary arrange-
ment until the well shows what it
will do when a larger pump will
probably be installed.

This new producing field is some
six or eight miles northeast of the
Ina discovery well and some eight
miles nearly due east of the Ray
Taylor field. It is in line with the
oil-bearing area that stretches in
an irregular line from the Corsicana
discovery area in a southwesterly
direction to the Luling field and
then turns in an almost westerly
direction and is proven to extend as
far west as Zavala County.

The discovery has created consid-
erable interest among oil operators
and the people of this entire section.
Several thousand people visited the
well Sunday and watched the swab
bring up nearly a barrel of muddy
oil about every fifteen minutes. It
is expected considerable new drilling
will result from this discovery. Two
additional tests are starting soon.
Ewing will skid derrick and machin-
ery 330 feet east of their discovery
well for a second test while other
parties as yet unknown, have staked
location 1,000 feet west of the No.
1 Riff and will move in materials this
week.

Owens and Dean's No. 1 Haby,
1,500 feet northwest of the No. 1



Riff, was down below 500 feet Wed-
nesday and expected to top the ser-
pentine at any punch of the drill.
North of the No. 1 Riff 2,000
feet, Walker resumed drilling Wed-
nesday, after a shutdown of several
days to set surface casing.

The Gaston Oil Company spudded
in a test well Thursday morning on
the F. G. Senne farm, about eight
or ten miles south of Hondo. This is
in a westerly direction from the Ina
field and in promising territory.
Frank A. Brown, the discoverer of
the Ina field, is the driller.

Twelve miles south of D'Hanis,
Trentman Oil Corporation of Fort
Worth No. 1 Carle in the V. N.
Johnson Survey No. 72 1/2 is at
around 1,900 feet or a few feet
deeper, showing lots of oil. The test
was acidized and the acid returned
outside of the casing which seemed
to indicate a leak in the casing. Op-
erators are now waiting on packer
which will be set on the tubing and
the well again treated with acid.

CLUB WOMEN HAVE DEMON- STRATION ON "FINISHES FOR EVERY FANCY."

"Seams should fit the material and
the use it's put to, for there's a type
of seam for every kind of material,"
Miss Foley, county agent, told the
Dunlay H. D. Club at their meeting
Wednesday, April 6, at the home of
Mrs. J. D. Schweers.

In grandmother's days homemade
garments were expected to have
seams that looked as neat on the
wrong side as right. All seams were
finished alike regardless of the type
of garment or of the material. "But
at present," continued Miss Foley,
"style is emphasized more than fin-
ish. Although finishes are by no
means neglected."

She then gave a demonstration of
bound buttonholes, sewing on zip-
pers as placket finishes and as a part
of the dress trimming, also seams of
different kinds and for their uses on
all material. For the busy mother,
who seems to be forever sewing on
buttons, Miss Foley illustrated this
helpful hint. "In sewing on buttons,
it is well to sew over a pin so that
the stitches will not be drawn too
tightly."

In the business meeting Mrs. J. G.
Mechler announced that guest day
would be observed with a basket pic-
nic at Wernette's Garden April 21,
by Rio-Cliff and Dunlay Clubs. Mrs.
Robert Breiten, council delegate,
gave a report of the Council Meeting.
She also reminded the ladies to have
all recipes for the cook book not lat-
er than April 15.

After the meeting Mrs. Schweers
served sandwiches, individual straw-
berry shortcakes with whipped cream
and iced tea to eleven members and
six guests.

—Reporter.

QUIHI AND KNIPPA TO CROSS BATS.

Quihi will play its first game as a
member of the Highway 90 League,
as announced elsewhere in this pa-
per. Highway 90 League will play 16
games for the season. After the 16
games the two teams of highest
standing will play a series of three
games for the League championship.
Quihi has a strong team and will
no doubt give a good account of it-
self. At last Sunday's game it de-
feated Castroville by a score of 4 to 0.

APRIL SHOWERS



ANOTHER VIEW ON INCORPORATION.

Dear Mr. Davis:

For some time I have been read-
ing the arguments presented by J.
Frank Jungman against municipal
organization and other improvements
suggested for the town of Hondo.

Not being either a resident, prop-
erty owner or taxpayer in Hondo I
have, of course, no interest in the
matter but I might observe that I
would not consider for a moment
being without incorporation, sewage
disposal, etc., in the village of which
I AM a resident, property owner and
taxpayer. The value of Mr. Jung-
man's argument against a sewage
system, as published in the last An-
vil Herald, is exactly nil and certain-
ly not novel because it is the same
argument that has always been
raised against any municipal im-
provement everywhere since time be-
gan. Following the same argument
one might just as well say that since
the construction of homes costs money
and since there is a certain no-
madic percentage of the population
which persists in living in tents,
trailers and temporary shanties any
provisions for the erection of per-
manent dwellings should be abandon-
ed. Everything that is of any good
costs money. Does Mr. Jungman
recommend waiting for epidemics or
other compelling circumstances be-
fore setting a foot in the direction
of progress?

All of Mr. Jungman's arguments
might be placed in reverse and car-
ried through in a backward direction
until no reason could be seen for the
existence of any governmental or
tax-paying bodies of any kind. There
are many people, I admit, who would
call this an improvement.

Yours very truly,

LOUIS T. BRUCKS,
Villa Park, Illinois, April 11, 1938.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TO INCORPORATE.

At the monthly meeting of the
Dinner Club of the Hondo Chamber
of Commerce Tuesday night, the
members voted to incorporate the
body and Messrs. F. X. Vance, H. E.
Haass and Fletcher Davis were ap-
pointed a committee to draw up ar-
ticles of incorporation to be present-
ed to the State in application for a
charter. The securing of this chart-
er will give the body a legal exist-
ence, something it cannot have with-
out a charter.

The club voted to sponsor the Hondo
baseball team for this season and
was assured of an extensive pro-
gram, part of which will be compet-
ing in a statewide baseball tourna-
ment at Dallas.

A pleasant feature of the evening
was a vocal concert by members of
the High School Choral Club under
the direction of Mrs. C. D. Sadler.
Following is the program rendered:
Trio, "To A Wild Rose"—Zonie
Taylor, Kathleen Reily and Susie
Muennink.

Vocal solo, "Eskimo Song"—Mas-
ter Jimmy Barry. As an encore he
sang a cowboy song.

Sextet, "Cradle Song"—Zonie
Taylor, Betty Jean Merriman, Fran-
ces Ruth Fly, Ada Belle Carter,
Kathleen Reily and Susie Muennink.

Other routine matters disposed of,
the Club adjourned to convene
promptly at 7:30 o'clock on the next
regular meeting night.

SPECIAL SERVICES AT BAPTIST CHURCH.

On Friday afternoon, 2:00-3:00
o'clock, we will have a special ser-
vice, with special music and a special
sermon.

The Revival services continue
through Sunday with services as fol-
lows:

Friday—Services at 2:00 and at
7:45 P. M.

Saturday—Services at 7:45 P. M.
Sunday—Sunday school at 9:45 A.
M.; Preaching services at 11:00 A.
M. and 7:45 P. M.

There have been about 24 profes-
sions of faith thus far in the meet-
ing, and a number of these have
joined the church for baptism.

Come to every service you can to
receive rich spiritual blessings, and
go out from them resolved to be a
blessing to others round about you.
We extend a most cordial invitation
to everyone. Come!

IRA V. GARRISON,

Pastor.

METHODIST NOTES.

Services Sunday morning at 10
o'clock with Easter music and ser-
mon. In the evening at 6:30 we
have a special program of Easter
music, directed by Mrs. G. R.
Smartt. Since this hour does not
conflict with services at any other
church we cordially invite members
and friends of other denominations
to worship with us in this service of
song.

W. S. HIGHSMITH,

Pastor.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Easter services Sunday in English
at 10:00 A. M.

Sunday school and Bible class be-
gin at 9:00 A. M.

You are cordially invited to wor-
ship with us.

P. CZERKUS,

Pastor.

Subscribe for your home paper.



SPARKS

Being News, Views and Reviews

By the
MANAGING EDITOR.

TORCH-BEARERS.

By Clayton Rand

* A crusading dear old lady who
* reads my stuff writes me with
* reference to her pet reform,
* "Won't you do a piece about it
* and help me save the country?"

* I wrote her, "As I get older and
* wiser I'm cooling off a bit on my
* younger desires to save the world
* in my generation.

* "Crusading is an expensive busi-
* ness. Most crusaders come to
* grief and I am not sure I want
* to be a martyr—yet.

* "Most of the crusaders of the
* 11th Century died on the way to
* Jerusalem. I've already toted
* torches until all my fingers are
* burned and blistered. Please, get
* some one else to write it."

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THAT "GENERAL FEELING" AGAIN.

If you are inclined to wonder
why a "general feeling" of uncer-
tainty and worry as to the future is
constantly spreading among business
men and investors—with the result
that employment is declining, com-
mercial expansion is virtually non-
existent, and the new security mar-
ket is dead—a recent statement by
Robertson Griswold, Vice-President
of the Maryland Trust Company,
will help clear your thinking.

Mr. Griswold said: "Shall those of
us who have the final say in trust in-
vestments buy railroad bonds, in
spite of the threat of wholesale re-
organizations and the scaling-down
of fixed charges? Shall we buy
utility bonds when the government is
free to lend money to municipalities
to compete with local operating com-
panies on a red-ink basis, with the
taxpayers holding the bag? Shall we
purchase industrial bonds and take a
chance on the obligor corporation
being legislated out of business by
hour-and-wage regulations or by
drastic methods of taxation? Shall
we buy stocks and face litigation if
we don't get out at the right time?
Or shall we confine ourselves to gov-
ernment bonds and pray for a cessa-
tion of budget deficits?"

How would you answer these ques-
tions, if you were charged with the
responsibility of safely and profit-
ably investing the funds of others—
funds that in many cases represent
lifetime savings or insurance money
left to loved ones? The chances are
that you'd be in the same predicam-
ent as Mr. Griswold and thousands
of other business and persons—
fearful and uncertain.

The big thing in the industrial pic-
ture today isn't the industrial indices
and supply and demand. It is poli-
tics—and a highly unstable and dis-
turbant form of politics that makes
it impossible for any man to know
what is going to happen next. This
is the cause of that "general feeling"
which has inevitably produced de-
pression.—Industrial News Review.

CAUSES OF CRIME.

In their efforts to find an ex-
planation for the increasing preva-
lence of crime, many thoughtful pe-
rsons have concluded that the ten-
dency to burden the public with a
multiplicity of laws may account for
much of the lawlessness which now
prevails.

Speaking before an inter-national
convention of police chiefs, Dr. Car-
lton Simon said: "We can limit and
harass human freedom to such an ex-
tent that even the normally balanced
individual feels that he is oppressed
and will seek unlawful means of ex-
pressing his personality."

Through the operation of innum-
erable laws and activities of govern-
ment agencies employed thereunder
we are restricted, inspected, spied up-
on, investigated and caused many un-
necessary annoyances which are re-
sented by a people who love freedom.

If more attention were paid to ap-
prehending and punishing real cri-
minals, while allowing greater free-
dom from harassment to respectable
citizens, we should doubtless have a
more law-abiding and happier citizen-
ship.—Rural Press Service.

DEVINE NEWSLETS.

From The Devine News.

CONTRACTS TO BE LET FOUR MILES NO. 173.

Our people were made jubilant Monday evening at the Chamber of Commerce meeting when Mr. Herbert Shroeter, resident engineer, announced that his office had been informed from the Highway Department, that bids would be opened April 19th, for 450 miles of No. 173, from junction of Highway 81 in town to junction of present Hondo road Griffin-Rich farms at Limestone Hill.

The roadbed is to be completed and covered with white caliche, and the two good sized bridges erected over Burnt-Boot creek in Devine and the Francisco creek, north of the old steel bridge, known as the middle bridge. While Mr. Shroeter would not be quoted as to the prospective cost of the work, it is understood that around \$50,000 has been appropriated for this work. Mr. Shroeter says he is pretty sure another contract will be let east from town at the next meeting of the Highway commission in May, if the deeds on Frio County property are signed, as this has delayed the letting of this section, for which around \$90,000 has been set aside, to reach from Devine to Kyote, 12 miles.

BIRY.

Mr. Jack Biry celebrated his 88th birthday Sunday. The children and relatives and friends surprised him, there being over 100 present. The dinner consisted of five barbecued goats, chicken, salads of all kinds, pickles, cakes and pies. He received quite a number of birthday gifts. After five o'clock supper, everybody returned home wishing him many more happy birthdays. Guests were from San Antonio, D'Hanis, Castroville, LaCoste and Hondo. Mr. Biry was born in Castroville. He was one of the old Trail Drivers. He was married to Miss Barbara Schmidt at Castroville. Three children being born while living at Castroville, then they moved here to the old home where the rest of the children were born. His health is still very good.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wernette and children and Mrs. Albert Warner and children spent Saturday in San Antonio.

Miss Dorothy Watson went back to San Marcos to her work after spending a week with her parents.

Rev. Watkins from Pearsall taught our Sunday School study course last week, asking for 70 in Sunday School. There were 71, more coming in for church services. Everyone passed, five making the 100. We had supper on the grounds at 6:30 Friday evening.

Rev. Martin, our pastor, brought two great messages Sunday at Black Creek. Those not present certainly missed something. Quite a number were absent on account of sickness. We hope they will be restored to their health and be with us next Sunday.

We were certainly glad to hear Leo Bohl, Jr. is doing so much better after being in bed these few weeks. Hope he will be able to be back in our midst again.

Prof. and Mrs. Luke B. Wier and Miss Lucille Littleton and Eva Ann Haass spent Saturday in Devine.

Miss Estella Wilson from San Antonio and Miss Norma Wilson of Charlotte spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Luke Wier.

Miss Thelma Bilhartz of Hondo spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bilhartz.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Dubose and baby and Mrs. Elbert DuBose of San Antonio spent Saturday night with W. E. Love.

YANCEY.

Our F. F. A. boys, accompanied by Coach Lock, were at Kingsville last week-end.

Supt. Smith and family, and Mr. Tole enjoyed a week-end trip to Corpus Christi. Mrs. Christian, a sister of Mr. Smith, came home with them for a few days.

Mr. Emil Bohmfalk and family, Misses James and Baker, Elma Muenink and Helen Bohmfalk spent Sunday at Garner Park.

Miss Gladys Bohmfalk and sister, Lucille, and little Roy Bohmfalk spent Sunday in San Antonio. They were accompanied by Mrs. Fritz Bohmfalk.

Trustee election was held last Saturday and the outgoing trustees were both re-elected, so there was no change made.

Supt. and Mrs. Smith accompanied the Senior Class to Garner Park last Friday evening.

Miss Grace Saathoff was at home over last week-end.

Mr. Ray Ward of Freer came in for a few days visit; and also looked after farming interests here.

Several tractor farmers have gone to the farm of Mr. Frank Martin to cultivate his crop. Mr. Martin has not been able to do any work for months but seems to be improving slowly.

Rev. J. J. Mason, presiding Elder of the Uvalde district, delivered the morning sermon here last Sunday after which the second quarterly conference was held.

Rev. Horace King of San Antonio arrived Sunday afternoon and will remain for several days, holding a church school instruction at the church; also preached in Rev. Fuller's place Sunday evening.

Miss Frances Wilson and one of her friends were here visiting Miss Wilson's homefolks.

Get the habit of making your purchases by the advertisements in this paper. Tell your merchant the paper should carry his trade announcements for the convenience of his patrons. In this way all will be better served and all will profit.

LA COSTE LEDGERTTES.

From The LaCoste Ledger.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Schott and little niece from Rio Medina were LaCoste visitors last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ulrich B. Kempf and children from Castroville were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rihn and daughters Sunday evening.

Mrs. Joe R. Kauffman and daughter, Mrs. T. R. Kirby, were San Antonio visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Jungman, Jr. of San Antonio visited here the past week-end.

Mrs. Henry Biediger underwent an operation at the Santa Rosa hospital Tuesday. Her friends here wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Christilles and son, William, of San Antonio were the guests of relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Otto Jungman visited in the homes of Mesdames H. F. Franger and Wm. Itlis at Delta Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Matthies and Mrs. Bob Simon of San Antonio were visiting Mrs. Lena Reicherzer here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Schmidt of San Antonio were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Schmidt, Sunday.

Mesdames Catherine Itlis, Henry Biediger, Josephine Biediger and James Biediger and daughters were the guests of Mrs. Frank Mechler and babies and Miss Elizabeth Mechler last Thursday.

Mrs. Pete Jungman from Hondo and son, Arthur, from Victoria, visited in the A. E. Jungman home here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Schmidt and family from Devine were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Jungman and children near Spindletop Sunday.

It is learned here that A. J. Taylor and Joe A. Bader are leasing a block of land west of Castroville for an oil test and that drilling will be started soon.

Mesdames Alex Jungman, Sr. and daughter, Lillian, and Otto Jungman and daughter, Hazel, were San Antonio visitors Saturday.

Adolph Itlis of San Antonio was a visitor here Sunday. He was accompanied home by his mother, Mrs. Catherine Itlis, who will visit with Mr. Itlis and family for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Christilles and son, Paul Jr., and George Christilles were visitors at Hondo Sunday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. George Christilles, who had been a patient at the Medina Hospital the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bendele and children from San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jungman of Rio Medina and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Jungman of LaCoste visited at Castroville Sunday.

Mrs. Edmund Keller and daughter, Miss Mildred, and Miss Doris Bippert and Mrs. R. H. Brookshire visited Miss Thera Conover at the Natalia Club House Tuesday evening. Miss Conover is hostess at the Club House.

POTATO MARKETING AGREEMENT.

Growers and shippers of early potatoes from Medina county, together with producers from other counties in the Wharton-San Antonio and Northeast Texas areas, took part in the public hearing held at the Plaza Hotel in San Antonio on Thursday, April 7, at 9:30 A. M. The hearing was called by the Marketing Division of the AAA for the early potatoes in the Gulf States.

Those who attended from Medina county were: W. B. Ward, Sales Manager for Coop. Marketing Association, and C. M. Merritt, County Agent.

The Washington office was represented by: Mr. W. M. Came, Marketing Specialist, and Mr. E. O. Mather.

After the testimony obtained at the five hearings to be held in the Gulf States on the proposed emergency program is studied a tentatively approved marketing agreement may be submitted to handlers for signature and a referendum held among growers. The program cannot be made effective unless it is favored by at least two-thirds of the growers balloting in the referendum.

The program was requested by grower representatives from the Gulf States at a conference of potato producers held in Washington March 14-16. Their action was impelled by the low prices growers are receiving for early potatoes this year and by the favorable operation of the three late potato marketing agreement programs which became effective last fall in several North Central and Western states.

The proposed program would seek to prevent early potato prices from declining at a faster rate than normal, by withholding cull potatoes from interstate shipment. The interstate shipment of other low grade or small size potatoes might also be limited upon the recommendation of the area committee administering the program and with the approval of the Secretary. The program provides, therefore, for Federal-State inspection of all out-of-state shipments of potatoes.

The proposed program would cover the following areas: Louisiana, Texas (all counties lying on or north of 28 1/2 degrees latitude), Mississippi (the counties of Warren, Hinds, Rankin, Scott, Newton, and Lauderdale, and all other counties to the south of these), Alabama (the counties of Baldwin, Mobile, and Escambia), Florida (the counties of Escambia and Santa Rosa). The program, however, would be operative only from the time it went into effect until July 31, 1938. In the meantime, a continuing marketing program for the 18 early and intermediate potato producing states is being developed for presentation to growers at meetings to be held in the near future. Representatives of growers from the Gulf States have

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asked that their area be included in the larger program.

The elimination of culls from interstate shipment is proposed because experience has shown that such potatoes on the market tend to lower the price for the better grades and thus affect unfavorably the price of all potatoes. Shipments of cull potatoes tend to lower price by increasing the volume and lowering the average quality of potatoes at terminal markets. The sale of inferior potatoes tends to discredit the reputation of all potatoes shipped from the state.

Of particular interest to growers and shippers is the fact that no restriction is placed on the quantity of potatoes that can be shipped under the agreement. A grower can ship his whole crop in one day if he so desires.

C. M. MERRITT,
County Agent.

RIO-CLIFF H. D. CLUB.

Mrs. Theodore Wurzbach was hostess to the Rio-Cliff H. D. Club April 7th. Mrs. Henry Flory gave an interesting report on the county council meeting. Plans were made to entertain the Dunlay club April 21 also for an educational tour of San Antonio April 30. Miss Foley named the cooperators' goals in wardrobe work, then gave a very helpful demonstration on "seams and seam finishes to suit the material". Delicious refreshments were served carrying out the Easter motif.

—REPORTER.

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BOY SCOUT NOTES.

Superintendent of Schools, J. G. Parry announces that Scouting activities in San Antonio shows a full program for the month of April with the Easter Sunrise Service on April 17th, at 6:30 A. M. in the Sunken Garden Open Air Theatre, at which time Scouts are to render their services in ushering and helping in any way they are designated.

Fiesta Week opens officially April 18th, with the Pilgrimage to the Alamo. Troops will join in with their Troop and National Flags and a wreath to be laid at the Alamo. Tuesday, April 19th, is the Fiesta Fete at the Auditorium, and Wednesday, the 20th, the Trades Parade. The Band Concert will take place Thursday, the 21st at Tech Field, at which time, no doubt, Scouts will again be called upon to render civic service in helping with the ushering, as they did last year. Closing Fiesta Week is the Fiesta Parade on Friday, the 22nd, in which the Council will have a float. This is a fine opportunity for Scouts to render service.

Much interest has been manifested in the District First Aid Elimination Contests, and the Council Meet was held at Scout Headquarters, April 2nd, with Troop No. 61, San Antonio, winning first place, Troop No. 125, Kerrville, 2nd, and Troop No. 22, San Antonio, winning third place. Troops No. 61 and 125 are eligible for competition in the Sectional Meet to be held in San Antonio on April 16th, at which time teams from Austin, Corpus Christi and the Lower Rio Grande will come to San Antonio and the winners of the Sectional Meet will go to Dallas for the final elimination on April 30th.

Due to the fact that the Field Scout Executive, W. A. Nicholson, will be required to be in San Antonio on Monday, April 18th, Superintendent of Schools, J. G. Parry, who is also President of the Hondo Chamber of Commerce, has announced that the Medina Valley Boy Scout Court of Honor will be held on Tuesday the 19th, at Hondo.

HISTORICAL DRAMA AT COLONIAL.

"Of Human Hearts", M-G-M historical drama, shows at the Colonial Theatre Monday and Tuesday nights. It is the story of a circuit-riding minister who helped forge America's frontiers with a Bible in one hand and a musket in the other. The cast includes Walter Huston, James Stewart, Gene Reynolds, Beulah Bondi, Guy Kibbee, Charles Coburn and Clem Bevans.

We have frequent inquiries from people seeking farms, ranches or homes in town for rent or lease. Moral, advertise your rental property in the Anvil Herald.

'38 Grid Machine Begins Rehearsals

Spring football practice will start today, Wednesday, April 13.

This afternoon coach W. W. Henslee will call the first practice of the 1938 spring football session to order. Coach Henslee expects several veteran squadmen as well as one or two lettermen but his chief concern will be the boys who will report as candidates for a position on the Owl squad for the first time. There are some who dropped from the squad during the '37 season whom Mr. Henslee expects to be out trying their wings again.

Eight positions will have to be filled by new men before the '38 Owls can progress. The eight positions were vacated by lettermen, Tom Danie, Glen Pope, Monroe Rucker, and David Williams in the line and R. D. Windrow, Jack Fitzpatrick, Joel Abbott and Bonnard Rothe in the backfield. Some of these positions will be filled by boys who lettered in the 1937 season but some will have to be filled with altogether new men.

The '38 team should have a strong, heavy line but will have a comparatively light backfield but by the time the season gets under way the Owls should have a speedy, swivel hipped and aggressive backfield to make up for their lack of weight.

—Owlets—

Hondo Blanks Boerne

OWLS ALLOW 3 HITS

Need for more competition was shown by the Owls when they defeated Boerne eighteen to nothing on College Square last Wednesday.

Home run slugging has begun to be the latest fad with the Owls. Illustrating a good example of this was shown by "Ep" Finger. Finger laid a powerful blow to the apple and forced Boerne players to wave farewell to a hard hit ball over the fence. With exceptionally good batting, Finger pounded out four hits out of five times at the plate. Hartung clouted out two hits with three times at bat. Good hitting and playing was

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MEDINA WILDCAT IS MAKING HOLE.

W. W. Carter's No. 2 McMenemy three and half miles southeast of Devine in Medina County and a most interesting wildcat, is drilling below 840 feet at last reports in hard rock. This test is located on block assembled by Frank J. Dykstra and near the W. C. Campbell (Edwin F. Vey et al) test drilled on the land several years ago. The Campbell well drilled a thick section of sand and shale in the Navajo and was carried to 2,892 feet in the Austin chalk, topped at 2,788 feet, was later plugged back and completion attempted in the sand at 1,314, 2,230 feet showing oil. The test made a lot of oil, but had some water trouble, however, it is still producing a small amount of oil, flowing through casing into storage.—San Antonio Express.

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42 TAKEN IN AT SENIOR PLAY
APPROXIMATELY 565 ATTEND
Profit Will Be Used Toward
Paying For Seniors' Gift

The '38 Senior Class of Hondo High School presented their class play, "Daddy Dear", Friday night in the High School Auditorium, taking a total of \$142.00, the profit of which will be applied to the paying of the seniors, which is this class's duty. Hondo High School. Approximately 565 people, excluding Seniors, attended this three-act comedy. The profit, estimated at \$110.00, will be used to pay for three-fourths of the cost of the seniors' gift. The remaining one-fourth of the debt will be paid at a later date.

"Daddy Dear", partially to the weather, "Daddy Dear", failed to "come up to" the seniors of '37. That night, to Hondo High School, "April's Fool", however, broke the record for the best attendance of any class play ever presented in this high school.

Monroe Rucker, President of the Senior Class, presented this scenery, which was being used for the first time that night, to Hondo High School Friday night. Supt. J. G. Barry, speaking in the name of the school, responded, thanking the Seniors for this gift.

—Owlets—

High Grade Presents P.T.A. Program

"When The Mayflower Sailed" a skit was presented by the high grade at the Parent-Teacher association meeting last Monday afternoon. The cast for the play was as follows:

Thomas Barlow, a pilgrim.....E. J. Williams
Thomas Barlow, his wife.....Lindabel Saathoff
Dorothy Marie Graff
William Barlow, their son.....Clinton Britsch
Nicholas West, a pilgrim.....Lacy
Claud Gilliam
Prudence West, his wife.....Alma Nester
Daniel West, their son.....Dale Weaver
Captain Miles Standish.....Joe Embrey
Isabella Muellens.....Stella Mae Grell
John Alden.....Robert Cosgrove
Thomas Jones, captain of Mayflower.....Douglas Fous
Small neighbor boy.....Guido Schweers

TIME
AN April Morning in 1621
PLACE
A Pilgrim's Cottage in Plymouth
Stancement by Frances Ruth Rucker
Directed by Dorothy Woolls

After the playlet Mrs. M. L. McWells gave a talk on "Living With History". The meeting was then turned over to the president and the new officers were installed.

—Owlets—

MONEY RECEIVED WILL BE CONTRIBUTED TO SCHOOL PICTURE FUND

Reproductions of paintings of many generations will be on display Sunday through Thursday in the old Post Office building.

The best known artists whose paintings will be shown are Gainsborough, Murillo, Van Dyck, Raphael, Man, Da Vinci, Terborch, and many others of the old school. Among those of a more modern date are Ben West, George De Forest Brush, Robert Wesley Amick, Gustave Wier, Harry Vincent, William Wyant, Grace Crane, Gardner Symons, Frank Duveneck, Earnest Albert and George Innes.

These Masterpieces show the original color as well as the brush strokes of the original canvases. The collection, which numbers 150, is composed of French, Italian, Flemish, Dutch, English, Spanish, German, and American paintings.

The display of prints will be on exhibition from two until seven o'clock each afternoon. Admission of ten and twenty cents will be charged, the entire amount going to the School Picture Fund.

—Owlets—

SENIORS APPRECIATIVE.

The Senior Class wishes to thank the following people for their assistance in the production of the class play Friday, April 8: Misses Irene Mehler, Ginger Fusselman, Dorothy Howard, and Ellabelle Radford; Mrs. E. C. Chancey; Messrs. W. G. Muench, M. L. McDowell, Shuford Macdonald, Tom Laxson, and Ray Jennings; the Methodist Church.

TRACK TEAM ENTERS DISTRICT MEET

IMPROVEMENT POINTS TO COME-BACK FOR LOCALS

After taking part in two track meets in which they were unsuccessful, the Hondo High School track team will go to the district track meet to be held in Pearsall Saturday.

The Owl team composed of "Mile-or-more" M. Bohmfalk, "Quarter Hoss" J. Cameron, "Dash" R. D. Windrow, "Speed" T. Danie, "Stride" P. Bader, "Sprint" A. Jungman, "Hurdle" R. Gaines, "Short Hurdle" C. Finger, "Javelin" G. Pope expects to redeem itself for failure to "bring home the bacon" from the Pearsall and Edison meets. Although the team was defeated at both meets, it exhibited much improvement.

With the coming week of training and some effort Saturday Milton Bohmfalk should have a fair day in the mile run while Windrow and Cameron really show something in the 100, 200, and 440 yd. dashes.

Hondo's First Football Team Coached by Erney in 1912

In the year 1912 Fred Erney organized the first football team to play for Hondo High School.

Mr. Erney had as his hopefuls of '12 eleven men who had to furnish all of their own equipment and try to construct a football field out of the rock pile south of the school building.

Three games were played by the pioneer pigskinners of Hondo. Two were played against that traditional foe, Uvalde, and one being against the Hondo Town team. Uvalde was able to beat Hondo at Uvalde, but when Uvalde came to Hondo, the results of the first game were reversed.

The third game of the season was played with citizens of Hondo who composed the Town Team. The two physicians who are still living in Hondo, Dr. H. J. Meyer and Dr. W. H. Smith, were playing on the Town Team. In the course of the game, Dr. Smith received a broken nose and several of Dr. Meyer's ribs were broken. The High School team was victorious.

Clarence Van Fleet, Bill Windrow and Edgar Stiegler are the three members of the 1912 team who still live in Hondo. Overton Schmidt who lives in Biry is another of the gridsters who has not strayed very far from Hondo. The others of the team have left their native city to seek their fortunes elsewhere.

Following is the Hondo High School Owl roster for the football season of 1912:

LINEMEN: Buckner Harris, Mervin Peters, Overton Schmidt, Edgar Stiegler, Tom Gilliam, Louis Brucks, Arthur Jungman.

BACKS: Clarence Van Fleet, Roland Moore, Jake Miller, Bill Windrow.

The present day football teams of Hondo are quite different from that first team. The school now furnishes the equipment. The playing field is one of the best to be found anywhere. If the players of today had to endure the hardships that the team of '12 did, Yours Truly wonders how many boys would be willing to come out and try to make the team. From this first football team of Hondo has grown the modern grid machine that now thrills the fans as did the Pioneers of football in Hondo High School.

JUNIOR STAFF WILL TAKE OVER OWL APRIL 13

Taking over the responsibility of The Owl on April 13, the Juniors will publish The Owl from the above date until the end of the school year and also the first of next year. Prior to the juniors taking over The Owl, the Journalism class was publishing it as a class project for nearly three months.

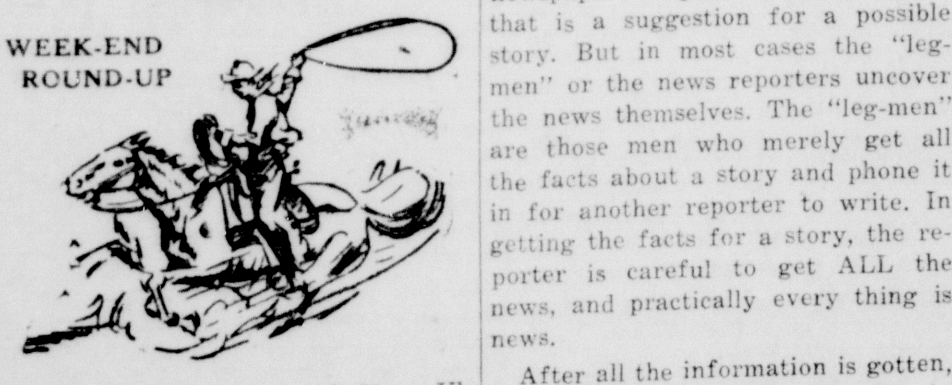
The appointed members of the Junior Owl Staff are as follows:

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Feature Editor.....Frances Ruth Fly
Sports Editor.....Burleigh Smith
Copy Reader.....Betty Jean Merriman
Headline Writer.....Kathleen Reilly

Frances Ruth Fly, Betty Jean Merriman, Bonnie Jack Cameron, Kathleen Reilly and Patricia Ney were members of the former Owl Staff composed of Journalism students.

—Owlets—



WEEK-END ROUND-UP

Wanda Redmond and LaVern Ulbrich were in Yancey Saturday.

Miss Doris Nesbit, Evelyn and Jerline Haegelin spent Saturday in San Antonio.

Juanita Dawson and Panalee Thomson spent the week-end in San Antonio.

Betty Jean Merriman and Roland Gaines were in Quihi Sunday afternoon.

Betty Thurman took in San Antonio, Devine and Sabinal Saturday.

Helen Burgin and Ruth McWilliams were in San Antonio Sunday afternoon.

Mary Ann Noonan, Mary Louise Haegelin and Margaret Ann Knopp visited in Rio Medina Sunday.

Frances Ellen Woolls went to San Antonio Friday.

Miss Ellabella Radford and Bonnie Jack Cameron spent the week-end in Austin.

Fred Bader was in Pearsall Saturday night and Charles Finger was in Uvalde Friday night.

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—Owlets—

OWLS STOP EDGEWOOD

SAN ANTONIO TEAM FAILS TO SCORE

Having given Edgewood High of San Antonio one good beating, the Owls decided to show a little mercy the second time, winning by a score of thirty-one to Edgewood's nothing on College square last Tuesday.

Provided that three more Owls would have crossed the plate, Edgewood would have received the same whipping they had received in the previous game in San Antonio.

Muriel Knox, Owl shortstop, lifted the fence high over the right field for the only home-run of the afternoon.

The ball began to fly over the field like hail stones in a hail storm resulting in many errors by the opponents and bringing scores of runs across the home plate for the Owls.

The hurling staff was composed of Earnest Muenchink, John Tondre, and Clinton Grell.

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Those of the first grade who visited over the week-end are: Virginia Angermiller visited some friends; Mary Emma Rucker her sister in Devine; A. G. Wendland her grandmother and Doris Schulte her grandmother. Marilyn Cagle's cousin came to see her and Kathryn Bruck's grandmother visited her over the week-end. George Cameron and Wilma Breiten went to see some oil wells during the week-end. Jimmy Barry was in San Antonio last Sunday. Charles English watched a bird build a pretty nest.

The ones of the third grade who went somewhere over the week-end are: W. H. Holmes to see Douglas Ulbrich; Betty Ann Garrison to Medina, June Angermiller to see Mildred Taylor; Jimmy Vaughan to Biry and Devine; Elna Saathoff to see her cousins; Norma Kollman to the oil well in Dunlay; Jonell Britsch to her farm; Catherine Woolls, Henry Holloway and Sonny Woolls to San Antonio to see "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs"; Arlie Brucks to see his aunt; Margaret Laughinghouse went to San Antonio and to her farm and Maybeth Barry was in San Antonio last Thursday and Sunday. Sterl Balzen helped his father cut down mesquite trees Saturday. Arthur Brucks and Mary Joyce Saathoff's grandmothers visited them Sunday. Verlean Mumme's uncle, aunt and grandmother visited her Sunday. "Buster" Graff visited Gerald Britsch Sunday.

Dorothy Bohmfalk visited her grandmother Sunday. Ruby Watson and Mary Lee Bendele were in Biry Sunday. Patsy Lou Kollman went riding in the country Sunday. Glenn McWilliams was in Sabinal Sunday. Richard Lynch went to Bandera Sunday. Elizabeth Nester visited in D'Hanis Sunday.

Grace Woolls went to San Antonio Friday evening. Vernell Mumme's grandmother and uncle came to see her Sunday. Darlene Brucks went to see her aunt Sunday. Charles Monkhouse went to see the oil well during the week-end. Calvin Balzen went to a ranch. Doris Jean Stiegler was in Quihi Sunday.

Lockhart Lions Take Edison Track Event

HONDO PLACES FOURTH IN TWO EVENTS

For the first time the Lockhart Lions took possession of the team trophy in the Seventh Annual Edison Invitation Meet at Edison High last Saturday.

The Lions hustled 25 points to lead the other teams to victory. Schulenburg's brilliant hurdler, Roy Bucek, led his team into second place with 21 points. Brady was third with 17 points and Edison managed to hold fourth with 15. This is the first year in the history of the meet that Edison has failed to win the team trophy.

Hondo won fourth place in the mile run and the 220 yard dash. Overlooking strong competition, R. D. Windrow showed good fight in the 220 yd. dash and Milton Bohmfalk showed the same true spirit in the mile run.

New records were tied and broken in the meet, some of them are as follows: 120 high hurdles: Bucek, Schulenburg. Time, 15.2 (New record) Pole vault: Lay, Yoakum. Height, 12 feet. (new record) 100 yd. dash: Mayne, Cuero. Time, 10.0. (ties record) 220 yd. low hurdles: Bucek, Schulenburg. Time, 26.5. (record tied) Javelin: Gentry, Rock-springs. Distance, 188 feet. (new record) 440 yd dash: Calley, Brady. Time, 50.5 (new record) 220 yd low hurdles: Alexander, Lockhart. Time, 23. (new record) Mile relay: Brady, (Shuffield, Parker, Kirkin, Calley). Time, 3:38.9 (new record).

—Owlets—

F. F. A. BOYS MAKE ROPES

Rope making seemed to be the spring fever of the F. F. A. boys for the past week. They started and completed twenty-two ropes last week. These ropes made by the Agriculture class were made of four strands.

The rope machines and rope knockers in the Agriculture class range from approximately fifteen to twenty. Each boy that wanted a rope machine could make himself one and the ones that didn't want any, didn't have to make any.



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The Hondo Aztecs will cross bats with the Saspamco Pipe Co. team at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon on "diamante Azteca".

Victoria Rodriguez had an appendix operation on April 4th and has already been discharged from the Medina Hospital.

Rev. Henry Hug of San Antonio was in Hondo last week-end, the guest of Rev. P. J. Potgens, and on Palm Sunday preached a sermon in St. John's Catholic Church.

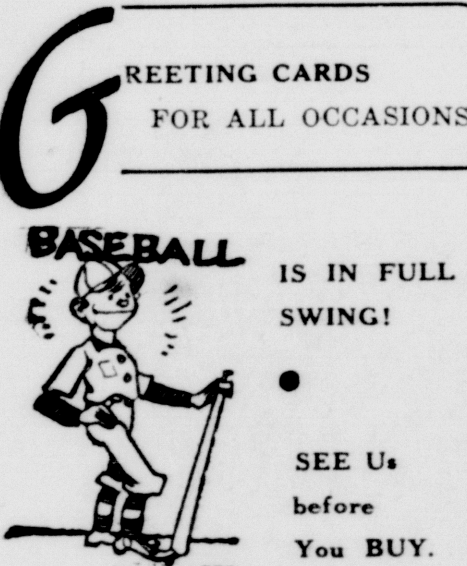


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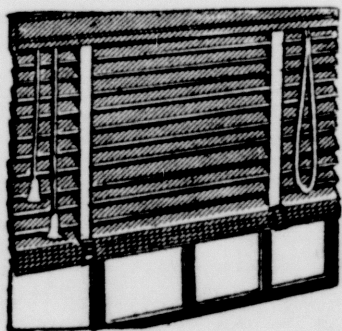
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Mrs. Walter McClaugherty of Yancey was able to return home the first of the week after spending several days at Medina Hospital for medical treatment. She entered on April 8th.

Prof. W. N. Saathoff was here from Castroville Monday on business. He was bubbling over with enthusiasm about the oil prospects for Medina County and informed us that he had leased his property for oil purposes.
Mr. Fritz Belschner, local manager for the United Gas Corporation, left Tuesday for Houston to attend a meeting of gas company employees. He was accompanied as far as Seguin by Mrs. Belschner who remained there for several days' visit with relatives. They plan to return today.

FOR RE-SALE: Piano. Medium size, standard make. Customer near Hondo unable to finish payments. Will sell for just the \$48 against it rather than return to San Antonio. Payments can be small. For location, write **CRITCHETT PIANO CO.**, 1907 W. Woodlawn, San Antonio, Texas. 3tc



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The following letter was received by Superintendent Barry April 6, 1938:

Mr. J. G. Barry
Superintendent of Schools
Hondo, Texas

Dear Sir:

Please permit me to congratulate you, your high school teaching staff and your school board upon the very excellent showing made by your high school with the Central Reviewing Committee of the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools.

Your high school was accepted for membership in the Southern Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools for the current year without a single reservation. This, it seems to me, is a very signal compliment to you and your associates in this work.

Yours very truly

J. W. O'BANION, Chairman
State Committee



PROF. J. G. BARRY

Superintendent Hondo High School

HIGHWAY 90 BASEBALL TO OPEN SUNDAY.

The opening games of the 1938 series of the Highway 90 Baseball League will be played on Sunday, April 17, with D'Hanis at Hondo, and Knippa at Quihí. Officers of the league are Dr. T. B. Knopp, presi-

FOLLOW	QUIHI	KNIPPA	HONDO	D'HANIS
QUIHI at—	HIGHWAY	May 22 July 24	May 29 July 17	April 24 June 19
KNIPPA at—	April 17 June 12	90's	May 15 July 10	May 29 July 17
HONDO at—	May 1 June 26	April 24 June 19	BASEBALL	May 22 July 24
D'HANIS at—	May 15 July 10	May 1 June 26	April 17 June 12	SCHEDULE

COURTHOUSE NEWS.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Anna Tschirhart to Otto M. Naegelin, warranty deed to Lot No. 3, in Block No. 1, Range No. 10, in town of Castroville. Five dollars and other consideration.

Miguel Laredo and wife to Bernardino Perez, warranty deed to Lot No. 6, in Block No. 44, in town of Hondo. Consideration \$325.00.

Mrs. M. J. Welch to Mary Lehrue and Joe Lehrue, warranty deed to 2 acres out of Survey No. 3 and District No. 2, in Castery Colony in Medina County. Consideration \$50.00.

F. C. Stinson to Frank E. Schweers, warranty deed to 5.16 acres of land out of S. W. Corner of Survey No. 194, F. Enderle. Consideration \$425.00.

Martin Wright Electric Company et al to Daisy Wright, warranty deed to following parcels of land: 1st, 2.84 acres out of Survey No. 79, Jose Rivas; 2nd, 5 acres out of Survey No. 78, Don Arnold, Ten dollars and other valuable considerations.

Daisy Wright and husband, Martin Wright, to August Krusch, deed to Lot No. 33 out of 2.84-acre tract on east side of Medina Lake known as Cedar Hill, being out of Survey No. 79, Jose Rivas. Consideration \$300.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Births.

March 7, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Jose M. Rodriguez, boy.
March 22, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dominguez, boy.
March 30, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Juan Cuellar, boy.
March 12, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Esteban Bernal, girl.
March 27, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Eucanacion Mendoza, girl.
March 27, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Estanislao Torres, boy.
March 14, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Earl T. Berry, girl.
March 11, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Edwardo Contreras, girl.
March 8, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Vernon H. Smith, girl.
March 9, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar J. de Montel, girl.
March 6, 1938, to Mr. and Mrs.

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The Aztec population announce a "gran baile" for tomorrow night.

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Do not miss Mr. Louis B. Grell's announcement elsewhere. Something interesting for you.

Wm. Wurzbach of Rio Medina was a Hondo visitor Saturday and while here paid our office a business call.

Clinton Jagge arrived home Wednesday from San Antonio to spend the Easter vacation with homefolks.

Mrs. F. H. Schweers returned Tuesday from a twelve days' visit in New Orleans and Port Sulphur, La., and Houston, Texas.

Now is the time to vaccinate your **SHEEP** against Sore Mouth. We have a fresh supply of vaccine. **FLY DRUG CO.** for Animal Vaccines.

The young people among the colored folk will enjoy a dance at the Fair Grounds hall tomorrow night. Henry's Nighthawks will furnish the music.

H. E. Haass, Attorney-at-Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Manager Medina County Abstract Company.

It will pay you to get the habit of reading the classified ads. Others with something to sell find them profitable advertising mediums. So will you; try it.

Consult the advertisements in this paper, then remember that no town is ever built up by trade that goes elsewhere, and patronize those who show their loyalty to their town by being loyal to its enterprisers.

FOR RENT—9-room, two story dwelling located on five lots on graveled streets; good garage, large barn and other outbuildings. Suitable for one, two or three families. Phone 127-3 rings or apply at Anvil Herald office. tf

Try your home man first when you are in the market for anything. It is your home man who helps build up your home town and home community and money spent with him helps all. No town was ever built up by trade that goes somewhere else. tf

John Mumme arrived home Thursday from Kingsville to spend the Easter holidays with homefolks. On April 11th, Johnny took part in the boxing division of an athletic show at A. & I. College where he is a student. Weighing 195 pounds, Johnny was matched with Jack Downs, also a student, weighing 210 pounds. We were not informed as to the outcome of the bout.

Representatives of the Allis-Chalmers Implement Company gave a free movie at the Highway Garage Monday night. In addition to the entertainment features, they gave an instructive exhibition of the use of improved farm machinery. The Allis-Chalmers line is distributed in Hondo by Geo. Muennink and Clarence Van Fleet, proprietors of the Muennink Tractor and Implement Co.

Two Hondo daughters were featured recently as singers on programs in San Antonio. Miss Mary Emma Finger, senior of Incarnate Word College, sang two solos during the presentation of an Easter cantata by the college a capella choir, Sunday, April 13th. Miss Mary O. Davis sang last Thursday night at the Father's Night program given at the Burnet School, where she is a member of the faculty.

If you or your family read the German language—and all who speak it should read it—you need the **Freie Presse** fuer Texas, the great German language weekly newspaper of Texas. It sells for only \$2.00 per year. Remit through this office and get it and **FARMING** both for the \$2.00. Order the **Freie Presse** sent to your home and encourage the young people to enjoy the vast treasures of German literature. tf

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TRUSTEE ELECTION RESULTS CANVASED.

On Monday of this week the Commissioners' Court canvassed the returns of the election of the Common School District Trustees and the County Trustees, held Saturday, April 2nd. The following are the official tabulations:

LaCoste, Dist. No. 3: Arthur Kriewald, 33 votes; G. E. Wiechman, 26. Dunlay, Dist. No. 33: Ed. N. Riff, 11 votes.

Verdina, Dist. No. 32: W. H. Boehle, 8 votes.
New Fountain, Dist. No. 30: H. J. Boehle, 8 votes; John Heickman, 5. For County at Large: Ernest A. Bende, 10; H. F. King, 3.

Upper Hondo, Dist. No. 27: M. A. Rabbie, 5 votes; Willie Spratt, 1. County Trustee: H. F. King, 1 vote. Seco, Dist. No. 21: Ed. Weynand, 14 votes; Louis Pichot, 9; Joe J. Lutz, 1.

Maverick, Dist. No. 19: Raymond Schuchart, 8 votes.
Yancey, Dist. No. 16: J. N. Wilson, 50 votes; Willie Faselier, 55. County Trustee: Walter Rothe, 55.

Biry, Dist. No. 11: G. R. Mann, 8. Shook, Dist. No. 10: Willie Oppelt, 8 votes.

Upper Quihi, Dist. No. 5: Leo Mangold, 7 votes; Walter Balzen, 11. County at Large: Ernest A. Bende, 12; H. F. King, 3; V. P. King, 1.

Hondo Independent School District: County Trustee: H. F. King, 6; Ernest A. Bende, 9; Joe Burgin, 1. Castroville, Dist. No. 1: Fritz Drotcourt, 78 votes; Winford Whitehead, 56.

D'Hanis Independent School District: Paul Reinhart, 14; Martin I. Nester, 14; Hy. Rothe, 14. County Trustee, W. O. Rothe, 14.

Murphy Dist. No. 4: And. Schweers, 12. County Trustee: E. A. Bende, 13; H. F. King, 1. Plack Creek, Dist. No. 12: J. F. Bullard, 40; F. C. Wilkinson, 12.

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BOTTLE PLAZA BAR.
Mrs. Fern Ulbrich, co-ed from
University of Texas, is the holiday
guest of her mother, Mrs. J. W. Ul-
brich.
Mrs. Bendele, A. & I. College
student, is here as the guest of his
mother, Mrs. Callie Bendele, over
the holidays.
Mr. Kirby, University of Texas
student, is among the recent arrivals
college students home for the
holidays.
Mr. Noy is among the Univer-
sity of Texas students home for the
vacation, which he is spend-
ing with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed
Noy.
Mr. Stiegler is among the col-
dest students to arrive home from A.
at Kingsville to be the Easter
guest of his parents, Mr. and
Mrs. L. A. Stiegler.
Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Boening were
recent callers at our office yester-
day. They are enjoying a protract-
ed visit with Mrs. Boening's mother,
Mrs. Eliza Boening.
Mr. and Mrs. Crouch went to Austin
yesterday and was accompanied
by her son, John Russell, Uni-
versity of Texas student, who will be
home over Easter.
Mr. and Mrs. Fly arrived home Wed-
nesday night from Austin where he
University student and is spend-
ing the vacation with his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Fly.
Mr. and Mrs. Schwaers arrived home
yesterday from Kingsville where he
A. & I. College. He will
be home with his parents, Mr.
and Mrs. Hugo Schwaers.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stout and
daughter, Diane, and Mr. and
Mrs. Floyd Griffin and little son of
Antonio visited their parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Decker, Sunday.
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Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith have as
guests Mrs. John Becker and
daughter-in-law, Mrs. John
Becker, Jr. of Belen, New Mexico.
Senior Mrs. Becker and Dr.
Becker are sister and brother.
Mrs. Lela Grace and Jo Reily
Joy Jean and Merle McCall,
representatives at S. W. T. C.
an Marcos, are the holiday guests
their respective parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Richard Reily and Mrs. Berta
Reily.
The Medina County Council of
Teacher Associations will
meet in regular session tomorrow
morning at Biry, at which time
affable and interesting program
be presented. All members and
visitors are invited.
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envelopes and 200 8 1-2 x 5 1-2
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anywhere. Try a box at the
Herald office.
Mrs. G. Tampke, accompanied by
members of his family, was
from Utopia yesterday on busi-
ness, and while here paid the print-
ers appreciated call. Mr. Tampke
his section escaping with on-
er damage from the freeze.
Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Parsons were
recent callers at this office Satur-
day. Friends of Mr. Parsons are sor-
rowful to learn that he is suffering from
affliction of his eyes that is
slowly affecting his sight. Doc-
tor after his little encouragement
his vigorous strength otherwise
slow down his failing vision.
The Peace of H. V. Haass
court Tuesday afternoon in the
case suit of Joe Santos vs. W. F.
Santos. The suit grew out of a
claim of two cars driven by the
plaintiff and defendant, respective-
ly, and the cars were damaged, respec-
tively, at the Hondo Hotel. Santos asked
\$300.00 damages, and was repre-
sented by Attorney P. X. Vance. The
plaintiff's counsel was Judge L.
Neuman. The case was tried be-
fore a jury, and damages of \$5.00
assessed against Mr. Neuman.
The Editor of this paper may not
be on turkey over the Easter
days but he may fare more
luxuriously. Mr. Clarence Mumme
presented him with two milk-
white Leghorn cockrels. These
have the reputation of being a
delicious table delicacy, but we
know more about that after the
pleasure of raising fine white Leg-
horns, and finds the sale of broilers
a profitable way to dispose of his
stock.

Candidate Visits Hondo



HON. JOE MONKHOUSE
Representative 77th District

Hon. Joe Monkhouse, Representa-
tive of the 77th Legislative District
of Texas and a candidate for re-
election, was visiting in Hondo Mon-
day and looking after his political
fences.
Mr. Monkhouse cut his legislative
eye teeth in the last legislature and
will go back to his second term for-
tified by valuable experience gained
in the several strenuous sessions of
that body which he attended.
He says the last twenty years has
seen a 600 per cent increase in state
taxes, and that the time has come for
economy to be the watchword. He
anticipates no new tax levies at the
next session.
Mr. Monkhouse has no opposition
for re-election. See his announce-
ment elsewhere in this issue.

QUIHI NOTES

QUIHI NOTES.

And Isaac . . . said unto Esau, Be-
hold I have made him (Jacob) thy
lord, and all his brethren have I giv-
en to him for servants. Gen. 27:37.
Those blessings, or, as we might
term them, those testamentary be-
quests, then as today have their
awkward and often appalling tales
and consequences saddening and
maddening, severing, breaking and
crushing what had been cherished
and cultivated before; leaving scars,
livid and painful, and creeping, like
an ugly monster, from generation to
generation to maul and maim and
murder new victims (watch those
time-worn feuds between Jews and
Arabs in Palestine today, for an il-
lustration). In younger days, what
did Esau care for birthrights, rights
of firstborn? Nothing mattered but
a well-functioning stomach, a keen
eye, steady nerves, happy-go-lucky
neighbors, a few flirting girls and
indulgent homefolks that could be
kept under the thumb. In more ma-
ture years, things take a different
slant. The eye looks less for poppies
and cornflowers and more for wheat;
the thoughts then are little engaged
with romantic wreaths and garlands
but rather with marketable values.
And this cold, sober sense for frigid
values often runs away with the
groom and lackey, stampeding over
courtesy, propriety, kindness, honest-
y and justice; over tears and sighs
and heartaches. Esau had now come
into those years of sober figures of
cold calculations and appraisals; so
had Jacob. Minds worked fast on
both sides; brute force versus sly
strategy, the bully against the pup-
pet, the mountain vs. the mouse. The
mouse won. It is still winning with
the same maneuvers throughout the
world from ages past. The Jew has
chosen his own method to materialize
the blessing given to Jacob and de-
nied to Esau. A method and aim
vastly different from the prophetic
thoughts of St. Paul when he reviews
that blessing and its bearing upon
the future of the Jews, in Romans
11. He finds a momentous proof for
that blessing in the fact that Israel
had not been assimilated by, and
merged with, other nations, but had
retained tribal independence and soli-
darity. God, he asserts, has not
cast away his people for good; a re-
nant of believers remains; for a
while they have a spirit of slumber,
eyes that do not see and ears that
do not hear; they have stumbled so
that by their fall, their temporary
rejection, salvation may come to the
Gentiles; if they abide not always in
their unbelief, they shall be "graft-
ed" into the original tree again;
blindness in part is happened unto
Israel, until the fullness of the Gen-
tiles be come in; all Israel shall be
saved then, and the old prophecy of
Isaiah shall be fulfilled about the De-
liverer who shall turn away ungod-
liness from Jacob (Israel). By no
means is the Jew ready to return on
that basis, by accepting Christ as
the Savior. The rabbinical literature
still considers Christ a blasphemous
and heretic; the orthodox (old-fash-
ioned) Jew still rides on the "Tor-
ah", the law of Moses: "A Torahless
Hebraism . . . nationalism . . . uni-
versalism will not lead us anywhere."
The reformed (modernized, and
mostly irreligious) Jew blazes his
own trail towards the lordship over
his brethren, the non-Jews, in those
fields that promise the greatest suc-
cess. The mode of action is quite uni-
form and a hidden supreme policy
(protocols) is suspected, making for
a supreme aim. The religious ele-
ment is eliminated and despised, but
in major activities their position is
graphically described by one of their
leaders: "We are a people—One peo-
ple— . . . When we sink, we become

a revolutionary proletariat, the sub-
ordinate officers of a revolutionary
party; when we rise, there rises also
our terrible power of the purse."
Fourteen out of twenty-three
members were present at our Ladies'
Aid meeting. Mrs. Jacob Breiten and
Mrs. Ehme Saathoff, Jr., were our
guests. The metal sponges were dis-
tributed. Another Christmas box for
the New Guinea missions is under
way. Mesdames John G. Bohlen and
Frank Boehle are the committee in
charge. Join us in that noble enter-
prise, member or no member; your
gift is welcome and well placed. The
hostesses for June: the Mesdames
Louis Schwaers, Emil Saathoff and
Dietrich J. Lindeburg. For a change
we had a reading in dialect: Stand-
ing Guard—for the Lord. An excel-
lent luncheon was served by the fol-
lowing ladies, Mesdames John G.
Bohlen, Arnold Balzen and Otto
Grell. Thanks, indeed.
How gravely mistaken we were
with those "balmy skies" of last
week. They had turned out into a
furious gale with much damage in
fields and buildings, and we bow in
gratitude for divine protection. Thanks
also to the gentlemen who cleared
away the debris on the church premises.
And by Sunday evening the weather
had resumed normal aspects
again, so that we could carry out our
Luther League program in the even-
ing and the services during the day.
And again we had to call on our
juvenile department for substitutes;
and they did a fine job in singing
and recitations, regardless of age.
We've enjoyed it. Thanks. For the
May program: Recitations, Miss Ma-
bel Lindeburg; select readings, Miss
Esther Neuman, Mrs. Andrew Eck-
hardt; vocal selections, the Messrs.
Otto Lindeburg, Ralph Saathoff, An-
ton Grell; instrumental number, Mrs.
Alfred Saathoff.
Announcements for Easter Sun-
day: German service at 10:30; con-
fessional service at 10:15; Lord's
Supper; Sunday school and Bible
classes at 9:30; English service at
7:30 P. M. And may you salute the
Risen Lord in the house of worship.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

Holy Week services have been
conducted in St. John's Catholic
Church and will continue through-
out the Easter services Sunday. Today,
Good Friday, services began at 7:00
A. M. with the Mass of the Pre-Sancti-
fied. At 1:30 this afternoon Stations
of the Cross and the Seven
Last Words will be given. Evening
devotions are at 7:45.
Holy Saturday services will begin
at 6:30 A. M., with High Mass and
Communion at 8:00. Confessions will
also be heard Saturday, from 3:00-
5:30 and 7:00-9:00 P. M.
On Easter Sunday there will be
two masses, Low Mass at 6:30 A. M.
and High Mass at 9:00 A. M.
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mace, pinch of salt, 3 tbsps. brandy

flavoring. Beat vigorously 5 min-
utes. Bake in a slow oven
(300°F).

Chocolate Frosting—Melt 1 1/2
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Add 1/3 cup scalded cream grad-
ually. Then a few grains of salt,
1 egg yolk and 1/2 teaspoon melted
butter. Stir in confectioner's sug-
ar until of right consistency to
spread. Add 1/2 tsp. vanilla last.
Spread all over rounded surface
of cake.

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white in a large bowl. Add 1 cup
of confectioners' sugar, sifted,
about 2 tablespoonsfuls at a time,
beating with a perforated wooden
spoon until icing is stiff enough
to spread. Use pastry tube,
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HONDO, TEXAS, APRIL 15, 1938

WASHINGTON SNAPSHOTS.

By James Preston.

The opinions here expressed are Mr. Preston's own and not necessarily those of this paper.—M. E.

One healthy sign emerged out of the fight over the bill to reorganize the Government and put more power in the hands of the Executive Branch—John Public, is still very much concerned about the destinies being shaped for him by Congress.

And that rosy-cheeked outlook is not based upon the quantity of protesting letters and telegrams, which deluged congressional desks in unprecedented number, but upon their "quality". They were spontaneous protests from the real grass roots. Here is the proof:

Observers who checked the original source of the telegrams found that a large majority had originated from private homes and had been telephoned to telegraph offices.

Needless to say, there was considerable sleep lost in congressional bedrooms during the heat of the fight. And instead of counting sheep most of the sleepless ones were counting votes.

—WS—

An indication that a new government spending orgy is likely in an effort to put a prop under collapsing recovery is evidenced again in the Capital. It is reported that so-called "conservative" inner-circle intimates of the administration have been won over by those who want more spending and that the relief spigots on the Treasury vaults will be turned on to greater flow. The "conservatives", however, deplore the use of the term "renewed spending", for, they point out, the spend has never yet stopped.

The extent of this new spending, is, of course, dependent again on how much money the government can borrow—since spending within its income ceased to be a Federal fashion long ago.

And that leads observers here to predict the National debt, which is now nearing the thirty-eight billion dollar mark, will soon pass the forty billion figure.

—WS—

SHORT-SHORT-STORY: Some 15 miles from the National Capital in nearby Maryland is one of the government's "model villages", built with Federal funds to house more than 1,000 families. It is known as Greenbelt. Federal investigators carefully selected the tenants from the low-income groups in the surrounding area. Last week these families were officially told how they must conduct themselves in their new homes. The government authorities decreed that no laundry (not even baby's diapers) would be permitted to hang on the clothes line after 4 P. M. on weekdays and not at all on Sunday; that roller skating would not be permitted after sundown; that bicycles would be restricted to the streets only; etc.

Regimentation!

—WS—

The Treasury Department wants it known that it is not in the market for a "perfect ear of corn", regardless of the price, but especially at any such figure as \$1,000,000 per ear.

A Kentucky farmer recently sent such an ear of corn to the Secretary of the Treasury, asking in return the \$1,000,000 "offered for an ear of corn having the same number of kernels in each row".

"I think I have found it", he wrote, "so will be looking for a check soon".

—WS—

A filling station occupies the site in down-town Washington where the great painter, Whistler, lived when he was a Government clerk. He allegedly was fired for "drawing pictures" on Government time, but today his painting of "Mother" adorns American postage stamps.

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"NOBODY'S BUSINESS."

By
Julian Capers, Jr.

The opinions here expressed are the author's own and not necessarily those of the Herald.—M. E.

Austin—Texas' foremost 1938 political floor-show got off to a flying start this week, when Ernest O. Thompson, erstwhile mayor of Amarillo, now serving his second term as Railroad Commissioner, made his initial bow to the voters at Waco, where he reviewed the record he has made, and outlined the issues upon which he asks the voters to promote him to the governorship.

Previously, Thompson had stolen a march on his chief opponent, Attorney General Bill McCraw, of Dallas, by promulgating a 15-point platform advocating economy, no new taxes, aid for farmers and schools, a leasing board for school lands, liberal old age pensions based upon need, removal of insane from jails, cooperation with organized labor, lower utility rates and State utility regulation. He opposed un-American "isms", chain stores, centralization of government, Federal control of child labor and natural resources, open saloons and liquor by the drink, gambling, socialized medicine. He pledged fulfillment of the State's obligation to pension teachers and aid dependent children and needy blind, as approved by the voters. He advocated additional taxes on natural resources or on luxuries to finance this obligation, if additional funds were needed, though expressing the belief more taxes will be unnecessary.

McCraw Opposes Taxes

Meanwhile McCraw, leaving the State for a hearing in the Green estate case in Florida, issued a statement echoing Thompson's opposition to new or increased taxes, and advocating increased taxes on natural resources, public utilities and pipelines, if they are needed for the social security program. He said he will state his platform fully in his opening address at Arlington, between Fort Worth and Dallas, on Saturday, April 23.

Announcement by Jim Ferguson that his wife would not enter the race clarified the gubernatorial waters considerably, and left Harry Hines, Highway Commissioner, the only unheard-from prospective candidate. Hines' friends believe he will announce for Governor during the week.

Inside Story

Behind the decision of the Fergusons to keep out of the gubernatorial race this year lies an interesting story which goes back to 1933, when Mrs. Ferguson took office for her second term as Governor. Ernest Thompson was serving his first elective term as Railroad Commissioner at the time. There were a good many state officials, elective and appointive, who had been aligned with Ross Sterling, and who resented fiercely Mrs. Ferguson's defeat of the Houstonian for a second term. They were hostile, some even discourteous, to the woman governor. Thompson, although his political ideas were quite different from those of the Fergusons, and he was loyal to Sterling, the man who had originally appointed him to the Railroad Commission, was nevertheless, courteous and considerate of the woman governor. This chivalry and good sportsmanship won the undying friendship of Mrs. Ferguson for the red-headed Amarilloan. So when there was talk by Jim this year of running Mrs. Ferguson again, close friends say she told her husband he could do a little political dickering by using her name, but when the showdown came, she would not enter a race against Thompson.

Family Confers

The final decision of the Fergusons was reached the day before Jim's announcement, at a family conference attended by their children and in-laws. The unanimous opinion of the latter group was that the health and age of neither Jim nor Ma justified them in entering, and this opinion, backed by the positive stand of Mrs. Ferguson against jeopardizing the chances of the man who had been chivalrous to her, swung the balance, and Jim was overruled. It was a knowledge of this situation which caused the writer of this column last autumn to report that the Fergusons would not be in the race this year, in direct contradiction of reports and rumors published in virtually every daily newspaper in the State.

Wild Claims Fool Voters

The voters of Texas would do well any year, and particularly this year,

to familiarize themselves with the duties and powers of the principal elective officers, both state and local, before the campaigns get hot. It is a favorite trick of some politicians to confuse the voters with promises to perform certain things, which may be desirable to a lot of voters, but which the occupant of the office the promising candidate seeks, is entirely without power to perform. Legislative candidates pour out promises to do things which lie entirely without the province of the legislative bodies to do, and which only administrative officers can perform. And administrative office candidates, from Governor down to tax collector, quite often paint rosy pictures of the reforms they will bring about, when they know—but often the voters don't know—that only the legislative agents of the people can make changes. The present campaigning reveals a candidate for attorney general who would furnish Texas with a new constitution, which only the people could create in an election; another seeker of the lieutenant governor's chair would change the fundamental structure of the government and destroy a legislative system that has been in use for nearly 100 years, when actually the sole and only power the lieutenant governor has is to preside over the sessions of the Senate. Still another candidate for governor promises pensions for everybody over 65, when all the governor can do about it is to abide by his oath of office, and enforce the pensions-for-needy-only law which the legislators wrote and placed on the statute books.

Allred Column Quits

Indicating his determination to retire from political fray—at least for the time being—Gov. Allred this week suspended his weekly newspaper column "The Rest of the Record", in which he has urged his political beliefs for the past several months.

SAN ANTONIO LIVESTOCK MARKET.

Monday, April 11, 1938.

(Federal-State Market News Serv.)

Hogs, receipts 400. Market active, mostly 15c lower, spots 25c off, from last week's close. Top \$7.75 to all interests for most good to choice 175 to 250-lb butchers. Good to choice 160 to 175-lbs. \$7.50 to \$7.75, 140 to 160-lbs. mostly \$7.25 to \$7.50, and 250 to 300-lbs \$7.50 to \$7.75. Good packing sows mostly \$6.50 and \$6.75. Few stocker pigs \$6.50 and down.

Cattle, receipts 600, calves 1,400. Generally better feeling early on all classes except plain and medium calves, these slow and weak. Most other classes fully steady with some light weight calves and vealers and medium to good cows strong to 25c higher than last week's mean close.

Steers scarce, few plain and medium grass kinds \$5.00 to \$7.00. Short-fed yearlings scarce. Most medium to good calves and light weight yearlings \$6.50 to \$7.25, few yearlings above with odd head club calves \$8.50 and \$9.00, and few small truck lots good to choice light weight calves and vealers \$7.50 to \$8.50. Plain calves and yearlings down around \$5.00, cull calves down to \$4.00. Low cutter and cutter cows mostly \$3.00 to \$4.25, plain and medium cows \$4.50 to \$4.75, odd head and part load of good cows scaling 854-lbs. to \$5.25. Bulls mostly \$5.25 down on shipper account, and to local killers. Stocker calves mostly \$6.00 to \$6.50, few to \$7.00, and plain kinds down to \$5.00.

Sheep, receipts none; goats, 50,

Few sales matured shorn wethers \$3.00 to \$4.00, about steady. Shorn Angora goats \$2.25.

WAR ON MEDINA LAKE GARS.

Game Warden D. H. Page Friday was waiting for good weather, in order to resume his campaign against garfish in Medina Lake.

For three days preceding the current stormy spell, Page had used his nets, operated by a crew of men, to wage intensive war against rough fish in the lake. Averaging 10 gars on each drag of the net, several hundred gars were removed before the weather changed.

The war on gar is being financed through sale of special Medina lake fishing license by the San Antonio Anglers' club.

The Anglers' club last week placed 40,000 small bass fry in the lake, having obtained the young fish from the Kerrville hatchery.

The Southwestern state bait-casting tournament will be held under direction of the Anglers' club at



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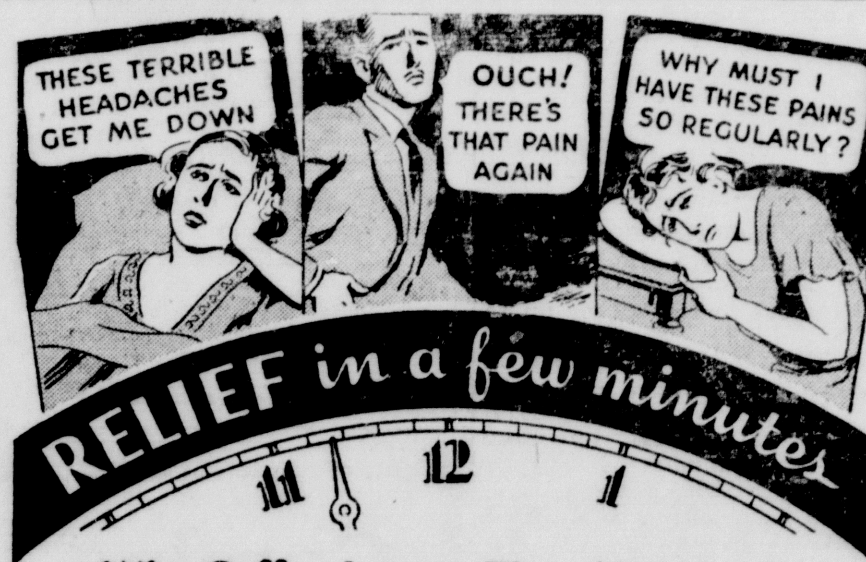
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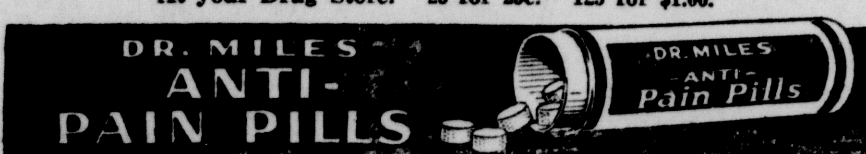
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Woodlawn lake April 30, President John E. Zeller announced—San Antonio Light.

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An enjoyable party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lenzie Maass last Wednesday evening when the occasion of his birthday. The rooms were decorated with honey-cakes and roses. The birthday cake was prepared by Mrs. Irene Byars.

Those present to enjoy the occasion were: Mrs. Irene Byars, Robert Maass, Mr. and Mrs. John Wiemers, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Britsch, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Britsch, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Eckhart, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Short, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Roland Britsch, Mr. and Mrs. Olanda Thallman, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Thallman, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Gladys Britsch, Gladys Britsch, Clarence Eckhart, Margaret Eckhart, Eugene Burns, Elroy Britsch, George Maass Jr., Richard Thallman, George Maass Sr., A. S. Saul, Maurice Stephens, Margaret Chipman, Howard Surber, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Chipman, Mada Chipman, Helen Maass, Mitchell Anderwald, Filo Maass, Bertie Evans and Daphne Evans.

COL. J. A. HEAD DIED YESTERDAY.

Colonel John A. Head, aged 89 years, passed away at his home in this city at 3:45 yesterday (Wednesday) morning, after a critical illness which confined him to his bed only a few days. During the past year or two his health has been declining, but he was able to be up and about until only last Saturday, when he came down in town and suffered a heart attack while on the street.

Funeral services were conducted at the Baptist church yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock by Rev. S. H. Culpepper and J. Marvin Hunter, a close personal friend to Col. Head, made a brief talk in which he paid a tribute to the lofty character of the deceased. The pall-bearers were Earl Gossett, Joe Stevens, Herman Thallman, Ed. Stein, Floyd Hamilton and Chas. Johnston. Interment was made in the Bandera cemetery following the funeral services at the church.

John A. Head was born Oct. 25, 1848, near Bedford, Lawrence county, Indiana, and grew to manhood there. He was just a young boy when the Civil War came on, but two or three years later, while the war was still in progress, he enlisted in the Federal army, serving under Captain Vince Mitchell. On Sept. 2, 1870, he was married to Miss Susan Ragsdale in Indiana, and in 1892 moved his family to Bandera. Later he moved to north Texas. His wife died Feb. 6, 1898, at Ravenna, Texas. A short time later he returned to Bandera and leased a portion of the Wallace ranch of 4300 acres between Bandera and ranched there for awhile, later moving to town. For some years he was engaged in selling fruit trees for Ramsey's Austin Nursery throughout Bandera, Medina, Uvalde and Edwards counties, and in this way became well known all over this district. In an accident 61 years ago, he lost his right arm.

On Aug. 18, 1908, Col. Head was married to Mrs. Mollie Barnes, who at the time was postmaster in Bandera, and who survives him. Also surviving are four daughters and two sons. Mrs. Carrie Chipman of Bandera, Mrs. Fannie Holt of Addicks, Mrs. Sallie Black of Bay City, Mrs. Grace Langford of Bandera, Herbert H. Head of Montrose, Mo., and Homer A. Head of Washington, D. C.; also two step-sons, Henry Barnes of Laredo and George Barnes of San Antonio. There are 25 grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild. Two sisters also survive him, Mrs. Susan Wylie of Bokoshe, Oklahoma, and Mrs. Emma Howe of Bandera, the latter having made her home with Col. and Mrs. Head for some years.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eckhart of San Antonio, were guests of his father, Fritz Eckhart, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wiemers were San Antonio visitors Saturday, where Mr. Wiemers attended a meeting of the Alamo Lumber Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Eckhart visited Mr. and Mrs. Gus Britsch Sunday afternoon.

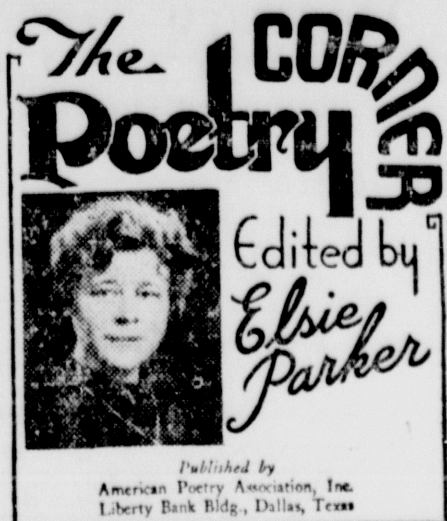
The Uvalde Leader-News.

V. O. FRITZE IN CHARGE OF SURVEY ON HIGHWAY 90.

V. O. Fritze of Del Rio, assistant resident engineer for the State Highway Department, is in charge of the survey for the re-location of Highway No. 90 between Sabinal and D'Hanis. The survey began Tuesday and is expected to require six weeks to complete.

Following the completion of the survey, it must be approved by the Federal Bureau of Roads, since Highway 90 is a national highway and eligible for Federal aid in eliminating grade crossings. It has been estimated by Highway Department officials that if every present plan, construction on the stretch of highway will begin in three or four months. The work will require from 12 to 14 months to complete after work begins.—Del Rio Evening News.

Deputy Grand Matron Emma Leininger of Hondo made her official visit to the Sabinal chapter OES on Monday evening, April 4, at which time other visitors included members of the Hondo, Bandera, San Antonio and Leakey chapters. Another interesting feature of this meeting was the celebration of the 30th birthday of the Sabinal chapter. Mrs. Nettie Peters, a charter member of the



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Again the Piper has come among us. He rode on a stallion black as death, Whose mane was a furious cloud of darkness, With hooves of steel and a fiery breath.

Had we failed, had we failed to keep a promise? Oh, he never said. He never said. We offered him all of the gold in our coffers, But he took the children away instead. He blew a call like a blast from heaven And the nut-brown boy and the young athlete, The little black-haired girl of seven And others, followed on flying feet. Followed the Piper to that fatal door Just as they did when he piped before.

—RUTH AVERITTE, Fort Worth.

RETROSPECT.

I've learned to smile upon you as we meet at tea And hide the sudden pain that grips me when we're placed side by side. I've learned to smile nor let you see That I meant a little less to you—than you to me.

—REBA RUSHING, Cayuga, Tex.

POSSESSIONS.

I own a lake,
I own a tree,
I own a star
And a honey bee.

I own a street car,
Some ocean sand,
A couple of letters
And a Bar-B-Q stand.

I have these things
And hold them dear,
All gifts from you
Throughout the year.

What shall I do
When we're apart?
The sight of them
Will break my heart.

—ELSIE SMITH PARKER, Dallas.

OUR PUZZLE CORNERS ANSWERS.

APRIL 8—

NO. 161.
S Objects—scarf, sled, snow, shed, storm, snowman, stump, star, swine, sky.

DOTS—Santa Clause.
Errors—pencil below grocer's ear, eye, cans, egg sign in carrots, mouse making noise like cat, leg of chair missing, cider label on bag, handle on basket, woman's shoe.

Minnie Minquette, self explanatory.

chapter was present, as were also a number of past worthy patrons and matrons. A lovely birthday cake embossed in the Star and its colors, resplendent with burning candles was presented to the chapter and its honoree by Miss Martha Jackson.

Mrs. John Heyen was operated on at the Merritt Hospital this week. She is reported to be going fine.

Val Verde County Herald.

Mrs. Louis Pingenot left Tuesday for D'Hanis, where she will spend some time visiting with relatives.

Mrs. B. F. Griffin left Wednesday for her home in San Antonio after spending a few days visiting in Del Rio as the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. H. Brauer.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Wurzbach of San Antonio spent Thursday and Fri-

day in Del Rio on business. While in Del Rio they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Greif.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Herzog and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sharp returned home Friday evening from Dryden, where they spent the day visiting as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bendele and with friends.

From The Kyle News.
BUDA NOTES.

Rev. and Mrs. L. D. Hardt and Miss Hattie Rylander visited in Austin Saturday.

The Pearsall Leader.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Martin and sons, Rothe and C. E. Martin, Jr., went up to San Antonio Tuesday to see "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" at the Majestic Theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Laxson of Hondo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Crawford Laxson, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sanders were San Antonio visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Margaret Murrill of Hondo was a guest Sunday of her aunt, Mrs. T. Preston Nixon.

Mrs. Tom J. Gilliam and son, Tom, Jr., spent Saturday at Boerne, guests of Dr. and Mrs. L. J. Gregory.

Atascosa County Monitor.

Mrs. Mary Steinle visited her daughter, Mrs. John Kelly, in San Antonio over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Steinle and daughter, Dorothy Marie, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Steinle at Austin Sunday.

NEW SERPENTINE IS BEING WATCHED.

Several Wells in Medina County Seem to Promise New Field

New serpentine field seems assured in Medina County, which has a number of interesting wells drilling with several of them showing oil and is fast becoming one of the most active spots in the fault zone of South Texas. Several other interesting wildcats are either getting started or under way, several of them scheduled to be deep tests which will be watched with considerable interest.

Two miles southwest of Dunlay in Medina County, Ewing Oil Company was due to complete its No. 1 Riff over the week-end at 716 feet in saturated serpentine topped at 542 feet. Nearly the entire section was unbroken and carried saturation and the test ran about 109 feet higher on that formation than a core test drilled in 1937 by the Sun Oil Company which showed saturation in the serpentine. About 1,500 feet north-west of this well, Ewing-Owen & Dean are drilling around 300 feet on their No. 1 Baby and will probably pick up the top of the serpentine over the week-end. Northwest of the No. 1 Riff, about 2,000 feet, M. L. Walker No. 1 Zuberbueler in survey No. 391 is drilling below surface casing. Three miles north of Dunlay Pepper and Taylor have resumed drilling at around 260 feet in the No. 1 Saathoff after a shutdown to check titles.

Trentman Oil Corporation No. 1 Carle 12 miles or so south of D'Hanis, in lime topped at 1,840 feet, total depth approximately 1,900 feet, is swabbing considerable oil and may open a lime field for that part of the county.

J. I. and J. W. Cromwell's No. 1 Pauline Tondre reported a slight showing of oil in the Escondido and is drilling ahead. This test is eight miles southwest of LaCoste and is Joe I. Cromwell's first attempt at opening a field in South Texas and from early indications, he may be as successful as he was in Oklahoma.—Sunday's San Antonio Express.

NEW MUSICAL COMEDY TO SHOW HERE.

"The Big Broadcast Of 1938", new Paramount musical comedy, is scheduled for showing at the Colonial Theatre Wednesday and Thursday. It marks the return to the screen of the veteran film comedian, W. C. Fields. Others in the cast are Martha Raye, Dorothy Lamour, Shirley Ross, Bob Hope, Ben Blue and Grace Bradley.

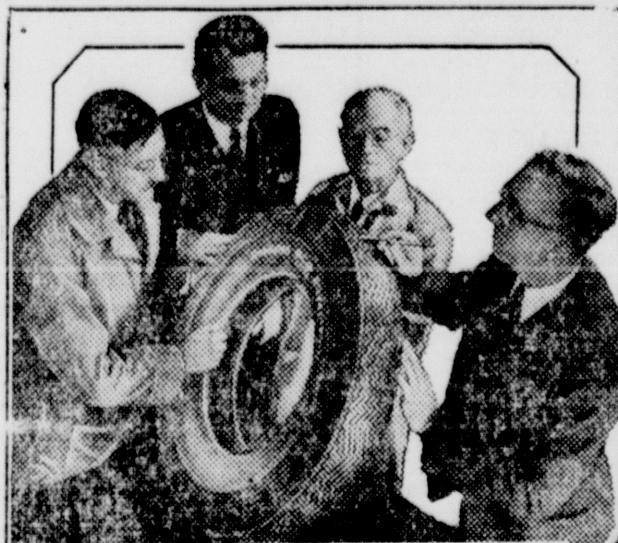
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International Ski-Champions compete for MacLadden International Ski-Trophy, won by Walter Ringer, Bavaria, Germany. Bernarr MacLadden donated the trophy, which the winner is holding, to arouse enthusiasm for physical development in the youth of today. The meet was held on Mount Norquay near Banff, Alberta, Canada, under the rules of the Federation Internationale de Ski which is open to all amateurs of the world and the trophy will be contested for each year.



Dr. Walter Clarke, executive director of the American Social Hygiene Association, outlines the 1938 campaign against syphilis, at the Association's annual dinner meeting in New York.



Canine Stars Do Clever Take Off—The photograph shows a canine high jump with Dumpsie going over the bar while his pal Waffles stands by.



Fun in the Parlor!—Vic and Rush think the new parlor game great fun. Sade, of the radio team of Vic and Sade, can think of better uses for her brand new Westinghouse cleaner. This is like the 1,200 which will be awarded, in addition to six \$1,000 prizes, in the current series of contests, running from March 21 through May 1. Vic and Sade are heard twice daily, except Saturday and Sunday, at 11:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. EST. over NBC.

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LOCAL, PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG

DORIS TONDRE, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Miss Tondre or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Miss Tondre is authorized to collect and receipt for any business for this paper.

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, APRIL 12, 1938

FOR YOUR 1938 HUDSON AND TERRAPLANE SEE JOE A. BADER FOR A DEMONSTRATION.

Elise Haegelin spent the weekend with Anna Frances Lieber.

Mrs. Wilfred Wernette and son, John Glyn, visited with Mrs. Paulina Tondre Monday.

Miss Felicia Sveleau is spending several weeks with Mrs. Mary Wernette.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Tschirhart, Mrs. Henry Haller and Mrs. Henry Schott were San Antonio visitors Tuesday.

Otto Bendele and daughter, Jo Nell, and Vivian Schott were San Antonio visitors one day the past week.

Mrs. Fred Lieber returned home from San Antonio after visiting with her mother, Mrs. Frank Hugel, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Frey and son, Thomas, from Dunlay visited in the Joe Lieber home Sunday.

Miss Mary Hoog and Mrs. Louis Schott were San Antonio visitors Tuesday.

Misses Annie Tondre, Mary Hoog, Fanny Applewhite, Dorothy Hoog, Mrs. Joe Schmidt and daughter Catherine, and Raymond Hoog were San Antonio visitors one day last week.

Mrs. Henry Haller and daughter, Vivian, Helen Haass and Francis Biry were San Antonio visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oran Mann and Mrs. Ralph Tschirhart were San Antonio visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Tondre and family visited the oil wells at Dunlay.

Reinard Bippert from the U. S. Navy is visiting with his parents for some time.

Mrs. John Droitecourt spent the weekend in San Antonio.

Rev. Father J. Lenzen was a San Antonio visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Biediger and family spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Ahr at Devine.

John Petch was visiting in the Haller home Sunday.

Olivia Jungman was visiting in the Charles Suehs home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bourquin were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tondre and family Sunday.

Ludell Moehring spent Sunday with Gladys Tondre.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bourquin and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tondre and family were visiting in the Albert Schneider home Sunday.

A great number of people attended the card and bunco party Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. A. H. Falkenberg were Hondo visitors last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Paul Czerkus of Hondo paid Rev. and Mrs. Falkenberg a friendly visit.

Mrs. Dorothy Kempf and Edna Mangold from San Antonio were Castroville visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mechler and daughter were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mehr and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard FitzSimon and children were Devine visitors Sunday.

Mrs. P. J. Zuercher is visiting several days with Mrs. A. H. Tondre and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tondre were Cliff visitors Tuesday.

Messrs. Marlin Naegelin, Harvey Tondre, Leon Groff and Allen Ihnken were Hondo visitors Saturday.

Joe Mangold is on the sick list for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Naegelin and daughter were visiting at the Riff oil well.

Rev. A. H. Falkenberg was unanimously elected as Fire Chaplain of the Castroville Volunteer Fire Dept. last week.

A special meeting of the Castroville Volunteer Fire Department will be held Tuesday night April 19, at 8 P. M. Every member of the Fire Dept. is kindly requested to be present. Please bring your friends with you.

A Luther League will be organized in Castroville on Wednesday, April 20th. The meeting will start at 8 P. M.

ZION'S LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Easter Sunday, April 17, 1938.
9:00 A. M. Sunday school and Bible classes. Children we want all of you to please join us in the joyful Easter egg hunt in Mr. Whitehead's beautiful grove Sunday morning at 9 o'clock. Don't fail to come; you will enjoy it.

10:00 A. M. German service and Holy Communion. We desire that every member be present at the Easter Sunday service. We kindly invite you to come and bring a friend with you. An early announcement

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CASTROVILLE H. D. CLUB ENTERTAINS.

The Castroville Club entertained the Hondo H. D. Club Thursday at 2 P. M. at the parish hall. Upon their arrival the visitors were asked to join in several games of bingo for which prizes were awarded to the winners. The guests were then escorted to a long table which was loaded with sandwiches, salad, potato chips cake and coffee which pleased everyone's appetite. The Club members enjoyed getting acquainted and discussing their club work. Everyone was pleased with the afternoon well spent and hopes to meet again soon.

On Tuesday, April 19, at 2 P. M. the Castroville Club is invited to meet with the Quihi-New Fountain Club at Quihi.

—Reporter.

RESULTS OF JUDGING CONTESTS AT KINGSVILLE.

Medina County vocational agriculture classes were well represented at the Smith-Hughes judging contests held at Kingsville on April 5th. The results were as follows:

Dairy Cattle

Team: 1st, Crystal City; 2nd, Hondo; 3rd, Pleasanton.

Individuals: 1st, Mathis; 2nd, Crystal City; 3rd, tie, Albert Weynand D'Hanis, and Stockdale.

Livestock

Team: 1st, Cotulla; 2nd, Devine; 3rd, Floresville.

Individuals: 1st, Harwood; 2nd, tie, Cotulla and Stockdale; 3rd, Charles Saathoff, D'Hanis.

Milk

Individuals: 1st, Bishop; 2nd, Robstown; 3rd, Paul Dominguez, Hondo.

Soil Conservation

Team: 1st, Devine; 2nd, Cotulla; 3rd, Fayetteville.

Individuals: 1st, Alfred Mann, Devine; 2nd, Cotulla; 3rd, Fred Schulze, Devine.

Concrete

Team: 1st, Bishop; 2nd, Robstown; 3rd, tie, Cotulla and Hondo.

Teams that are eligible to go to the State contest at A. and M. College are as follows:

Livestock Judging: 2nd, Devine; 11th, D'Hanis.

Dairy Judging: 2nd, Hondo; 7th, D'Hanis.

Poultry and Egg Judging: 10th, Hondo.

Soil Conservation: 1st, Devine; 9th, D'Hanis.

Crops: 7th, Devine.

There were 1138 boys actually participating in the contests.

FIRST SERPENTINE OPENED IN MEDINA.

HONDO, Tex., April 8.—Two miles south of Dunlay and one-half mile south of the Hondo highway, Ewing Oil Company's No. 1 Emil Riff, has opened first serpentine production at the southern end of the Balcones Fault zone.

This test, located in Survey No. 42, topped serpentine with good oil saturation at 542 feet and at 716 feet bottomed in that formation was completed Thursday evening for an estimated 500 barrels daily. Derrick is being moved off to drill another test with two other tests within 2,000 feet of the well now active and due to pick the formation up probably over the week-end.—Saturday's Express.

TEXAS 39TH STATE IN PROPORTION OF INDUSTRY WORKERS.

Texas, the nation's fifth ranking state in population, stands only 39th in percentage of workers gainfully employed in manufacturing and mechanical industries, and, although it is the leading state in value of mineral production, is only 15th in ratio of persons engaged in mineral

producing industries.

These are two of the more significant items illustrating Texas "occupational characteristics" contained in a recent Dun and Bradstreet survey of "resources and debts of the 48 states," says a report of the All-South Development Council. While the survey deals primarily with debt-paying abilities of the states, the analysis of economic characteristics directly affecting these abilities naturally reveals comparisons useful in charting expansion possibilities, the report pointed out.

Instead of identifying the various states economically by their totals of production in the three principal productive divisions—agriculture, minerals, and manufacturing—the survey identifies them by the proportions of working population engaged in each. This method minimizes much of the dominance which Texas, by virtue of its great size, has seemed to have in various agricultural tables. It is outranked by 13 other states in percentage of population engaged in agriculture.

In a tabulated analysis of proportionate "gainful employment" for all the states and the country as a whole, Texas' percentage of workers in manufacturing, 15.6, shows a much greater deficiency than the U. S. norm of 23.3, than in any other division.

Among the 38 states ahead of Texas in the manufacturing and mechanical industries table are: Louisiana, whose progress in the last year has drawn nation-wide editorial comment on the effectiveness of its "welcome to industries" program, with 18 per cent; California, which is nearly Texas' size and has impressive agriculture and mining production, yet has 24.7 per cent engaged in manufacturing; and Alabama, not generally regarded as a manufacturing state, 18.1 per cent. Rhode Island, the smallest state, is far in the lead with 55.1 per cent.

The Texas percentage of 2.4, of persons engaged in mineral production, is exactly the same as the national percentage, although Texas, on the basis of 1935 figures, topped all states, including Pennsylvania, California, West Virginia, Oklahoma, Ohio and Louisiana in mineral values with a total of \$528,000,000. Oil, natural gas, sulphur and natural gasoline were the dominant Texas mineral products, none of her other many mineral resources constituting appreciable employment sources despite any surveys showing their potentialities.

The survey showed Texas ranking seventh in farm cash income, behind California, Illinois, Ohio, New York, Wisconsin and Indiana, and gave an interesting breakdown of the state's relative sources of farm revenue. It showed that cotton, as would be expected, accounted for 51.7 per cent; cattle, 11.2 per cent; milk, 4.5; poultry and eggs, 3.8, and sheep and wool, regarded as major Texas products, only 3.7 per cent. The preponderance of cotton, and the relatively minor part of milk, in the Texas farm income picture, are significant when it is noted that, nationally, milk accounts for 17.9 per cent of total farm income compared to only 11.9 for cotton. Cattle was second, nationally, at 12.5 per cent.

Except for the "shortage" in manufacturing, the Texas figures in the comprehensive table showing percentage of gainfully employed workers in all classes of employment compare favorably with the United States averages. They are shown as follows: Agriculture, Texas 38.1, U. S. 21.5; mineral production, Texas 2.4, U. S. 2.4; manufacturing and mechanical industries, Texas 15.6, U. S. 23.3; transportation, Texas 8.7, U. S. 9.1; trade, Texas 13.9, U. S. 15.4; professional and public service, Texas 8, U. S. 3.2; domestic, Texas 10.2, U. S. 9.9.

WINS POPULARITY CONTEST.

ALICE, Tex., April 9.—Miss Grace Mantel, winner of the popularity contest sponsored by the Business and Professional Women's Club, was presented in bridal costume at the Easter prom here Thursday night. Miss Mantel, who is a high school senior and drum major of the school band and drum and bugle corps, received a total of 1,208 votes. She was sponsored by the Alice Kiwanis Club. Miss Kathleen Dunn, sponsored by the Alice fire department, was a close second with 1,148 votes. The prom, given at the high school auditorium, was attended by a large crowd.—San Antonio Express.

Miss Grace is a grand-daughter of the late Charles Scheidementel, for many years a well-known citizen of Hondo and Medina County. She is the eldest daughter of the late Louis Scheidementel.

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Miss Josie Rothe

to whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Rothe is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13, 1938

Miss Marie Britz of San Antonio spent the week-end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Britz. Mrs. Regina Davenport, Mrs. Mollie Lockhart and daughter, Helen Jane, and Dr. W. A. Reily of San Antonio were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Rothe Sunday.

Mrs. Al Campbell spent Wednesday at Hondo with Mrs. Frank Schweers.

Miss Jonelle Nester will represent the D'Hanis 4-H Club on a float that will be entered in the Battle of Flowers parade in San Antonio April 22. She attended a county meeting at Castroville Saturday, accompanied by Misses Ethel and Melvira Rothe.

Miss Cornelia Koch, state secretary of the Catholic State League of Texas, spent Tuesday at Hallettsville, where a meeting of officers was held.

News has reached here of the death of Mrs. Minnie Enderle of Beaumont, Texas. The body will be brought here today (Wednesday) for burial. She was the wife of the late Jessie Enderle, a native of D'Hanis, who was also buried here.

At a meeting of the D'Hanis-Fort Lincoln Historical Association on April 7, it was decided to hold a celebration this year on June 19, when the club will join with the Woodmen in their anniversary observance.

The sudden death of Mr. Leopold Weynand occurred this (Wednesday) morning at his home north of D'Hanis. The funeral will take place Thursday afternoon. A more detailed account will appear in next week's Anvil Herald.

MRS. MARY ROTHE'S BIRTHDAY OBSERVED.

A number of the children of Mrs. Mary Rothe were joined by other relatives on the afternoon of April 2nd to observe her eighty-fourth

birthday anniversary in her home. Those enjoying the happy occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Hines Rothe, Mrs. Dousin, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Herwick, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Herwick, Mrs. August Proll, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rothe, Mrs. W. Wette and children of San Antonio, Mrs. C. E. Martin and boys of Pearsall, Mrs. R. W. Richter, Mrs. Will Nester, Mrs. August Schroeder, Mrs. O. H. Miller, Mrs. Hugo Schweers, and Miss Frances Richter of Hondo, Mrs. A. H. Rothe, Misses Verene and Stella Finger, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Rothe, and Mr. F. J. Rothe.

F. F. A. NEWS.

Homer Nester, Charles Saathoff, Oliver Reinhart, Joe Henry Biry, Floyd Collins, Elmer Keller, and Albert Britz, members of the D'Hanis chapter of the Future Farmers of America went to Devine Tuesday evening, April 12, to take examinations for certificates of merit. To become a Future Farmer, a boy must have one certificate of merit, and to become a State Farmer, he must earn three. The members won certificates of merit as follows: Homer Nester for parliamentary procedure and hide tanning; Charles Saathoff for fattening hogs, castration of calves, and showing swine; Oliver Reinhart for fattening baby beeves and for pig production; Joe Henry Biry for hide tanning and showing hogs; Floyd Collins for hide tanning and parliamentary procedure; Elmer Keller and Albert Britz each for hide tanning.

Plans for the district banquet at Dilley on April 30 were discussed. Three students of D'Hanis were asked to take part on the program, namely: Bertha Weynand, chapter sweetheart, who will sing to Albert Weynand's guitar accompaniment, and Oliver Reinhart, who will play a

violin solo.

ST. ANTHONY'S COMMUNITY CLUB.

On Friday, April 8, the St. Anthony's Community Club met at the parish hall for the regular monthly meeting, which included the annual election of officers. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Biry, president, and prayer was led by Mrs. H. C. Rothe. The book awarded the High School pupils, having the most mothers present, for all business was completed. President called on Mrs. Louis Rothe, chairman of the nominating committee to conduct the election. She was assisted by Mrs. Koch. The election resulted that President—Mrs. A. J. Finger, 1st Vice President—Mrs. H. C. Rothe, 2nd Vice President—Mrs. Koch.

Secretary—Mrs. Alfred Rothe, Treasurer—Mrs. J. B. Nester, Reporter—Mrs. H. C. Rothe. The entertainment committee composed of Mrs. Henry Weynand, Mrs. Ben Koch, Mrs. Will Tard, Mrs. H. C. Rothe and Miss Bertha Sauter, reported a Keno party, held on Sunday night, May 1st, concluded all business, and the meeting will be held on the Friday of May, with the new officers on duty.

BOYS RAISED TO GREEN HAND.

Four boys were raised to the Green Hand at the Future Farmers of America meeting that was last Wednesday night, April 13. Boys and their projects are: Robert Breiten with range cattle and Bertram Eckhart with sheep; Walter Haass with a heifer and feed crop; Bill Ney with chickens. The qualifications for Green Hand are that he must be rolled in vocational agriculture, he must have a satisfactory program of work, must recite from memory the creed of the F. F. A., and receive a majority vote of the members present.

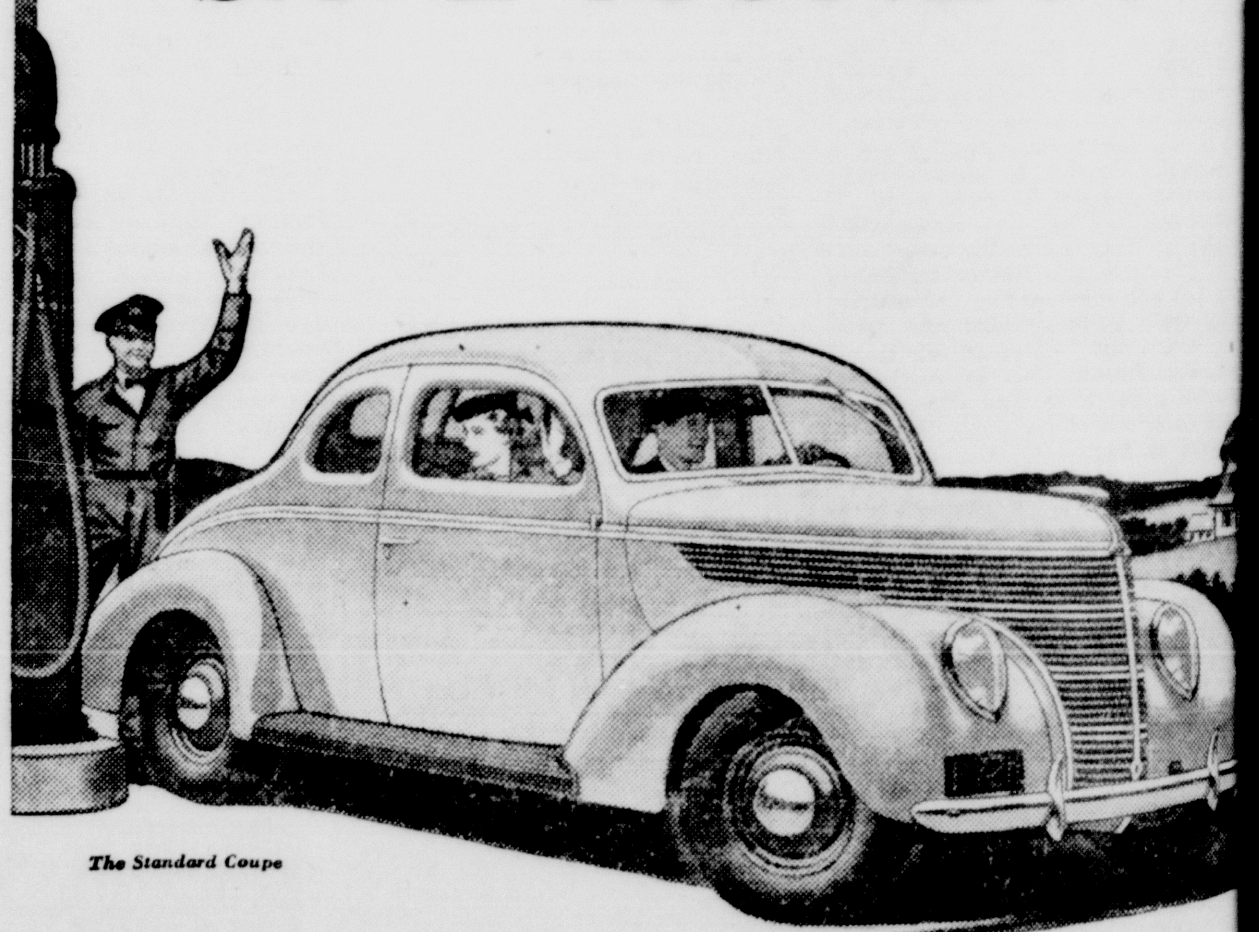
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